

OSHKOSH WILL ASK FOR HONOR

Would Have Capitol Removed From Madison
To Sawdust City Without Delay.

OTHER BILLS BEFORE LEGISLATURE

One Measure Means That Dry Towns Shall Remain Dry,
Is Being Considered By The Assembly
Very Seriously.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Madison, Wis., Feb. 27.—Janesville and every other enterprising city should speak up, offer a free site for the capitol and make a bid for the new statehouse. Oshkosh is in the game, as shown by the following resolution introduced this morning by Assemblyman Perry:

Relating to the capitol.
Whereas, It is rumored that a proposition is to be presented to the legislature to buy the land from the capitol to the Lake Monona, and

Whereas, Such a proposition is evidence that the present site of the capitol is not large enough to accommodate the future needs of the state, and

Whereas, The population of the state is growing steadily and our northern counties are rapidly filling up, and

Whereas, The capitol should be centrally located for all the people, and

Whereas, The city of Oshkosh has offered the state of Wisconsin forty acres of land free for the purpose of erecting a capitol, and

Whereas, The purchase of the land proposed in Madison would be a gross extravagance and a needless burden upon the people of the state, therefore be it

Resolved, by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the state accept the offer of the city of Oshkosh and remove the capitol to that city.

Dry Towns
Relief for "dry" towns who suffer by reason of "blind pigs" is promised in a new bill which came into the senate last night from the committee on engrossed bills. Senator Hazelwood confesses responsibility for the measure, which seeks to amend the local option law so that the possession of a United States government license to sell liquors shall constitute prima facie evidence in any court that the possessor thereof is engaged in selling liquor, giving it away or otherwise dispensing it with intent to evade the local laws prohibiting saloons. It has been found that in many places where local option is exercised to prevent the issuance of local saloon licenses, illicit saloons spring up; but that these usually provide themselves with government licenses and are able to evade the local authorities. This bill would enable the enemies of "blind pigs" to prove the selling of liquor by merely showing that the accused possessed a government license.

Another bill was presented in the senate, coming from Senator Stout from the committee on education, providing that the rate of interest on state loans to school districts shall

be 4 per cent instead of 5 per cent. A memorial and joint resolution adopted by the legislature of the state of Oregon, in favor of popular election of United States senators, was transmitted to the senate from Secretary of State Frear.

Clerk Salary Bill Advanced
The senate acted favorably upon bills to create new towns in Washburn county and to fix the salary of the clerk of the municipal court of Dane county at \$1,200 a year. Herebefore this salary has been \$1,000 a year, half paid by the judge. The jurisdiction of the court has from time to time been enlarged and the work multiplied. The effect of the bill is to raise the salary of Judge Donovan \$500 a year and of Clerk Currier \$200 a year.

The creation of the new county of Stephenson is evidently going to be opposed by residents of Marinette county. Last evening four petitions objecting to the detachment of parts of Marinette county for this purpose were presented in the assembly by Assemblyman LeRoy.

Two bills were passed, one by Assemblyman Burke and one by Assemblyman Sprague. Mr. Burke's bill provided that members of the county board in counties with a population of 50,000 or over may be given compensation for 30 days of service and mileage. Mr. Sprague's measure relates to the disinterment of bodies in the old Elkhorn cemetery and devoting that property to other purposes.

Governor Davidson submitted a communication to both houses recommending for serious consideration the action of the 27th annual meeting of the national board of trade at Washington in connection with the enactment by all the states and by congress and submitted the same to all the states and the national congress. The purpose is the encouragement of legislation which will prescribe uniform regulations in regard to warehouse receipts, particularly making them more negotiable than they are at present and making it possible to give them as collateral for loans. This step in a measure will relieve the hardship of a car famine and will enable business men to receive some benefit from goods which are in blockade by making warehouse receipts more negotiable.

May Not Exhibit
Wisconsin may not be represented at the Jamestown exposition from the assembly's attitude today. The matter was laid over again and the amendments to the senate bill will be offered setting aside portions of the funds for specific purposes. The assembly is divided as to the nature of the exhibit and many oppose any at all. A disagreement is probable.

SISTER APPEARS AS BROTHER'S DEFENDER

Wife of Murdered Man Testifies Behind Closed Doors as to Cause of Crime.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Culpepper, Va., Feb. 27.—In the trial of James and Philip Strothers, on the charge of murdering Wm. F. Bywaters, their brother-in-law, in December last, Mrs. Bywaters' sister of the defendant and widow of the murdered man was on the witness stand today. Only the court officers, counsel and newspaper men were present while she testified. Her testimony was very similar to that given at the coroners inquest.

SHALTENBERGER HAS RESIGNED HIS PLACE

Second Assistant Postmaster General Resigns and His Place is Filled by President.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Feb. 27.—The president has accepted the resignation of second assistant postmaster general Shaltensberger, and representative McCleary of Minnesota has been appointed as his successor.

A. M. VALENTINE AND J. P. BAKER IN VANGUARD OF THE EARLY GOLFERS

Played Over the Mississippi Links Yesterday Afternoon and Caught Sight of a Robin.

A. M. Valentine and J. P. Baker played their first 1907 game of golf yesterday. The grounds, except at the fourth hole, were dry and in excellent condition, and the temperature just right for spirited playing. In the course of their progress over the links they caught sight of a robin. On March 28, the date of their first game last year, there were still some traces of snow on the course. This season seems just a month ahead of the former one.

MILTON STUDENT IS SCHOLARSHIP WINNER

Allen B. West of Milton College Has Successfully Passed the Examination.

Among the successful candidates for the Rhodes Scholarships is Allen B. West accredited to Milton college. The other competitors are Ernest A. Hooton, Lawrence; David H. Stevens, Lawrence; Philip H. Knowlton, Thomas; J. McClellan and F. J. Schneider of Wisconsin. From this list the committee having charge of the selection will choose the successful candidate. This committee is composed of Presidents Van Hise, Wisconsin; Hughes, Ripon; Deland, Milton; Plantz, Lawrence, and Collie, Beloit.

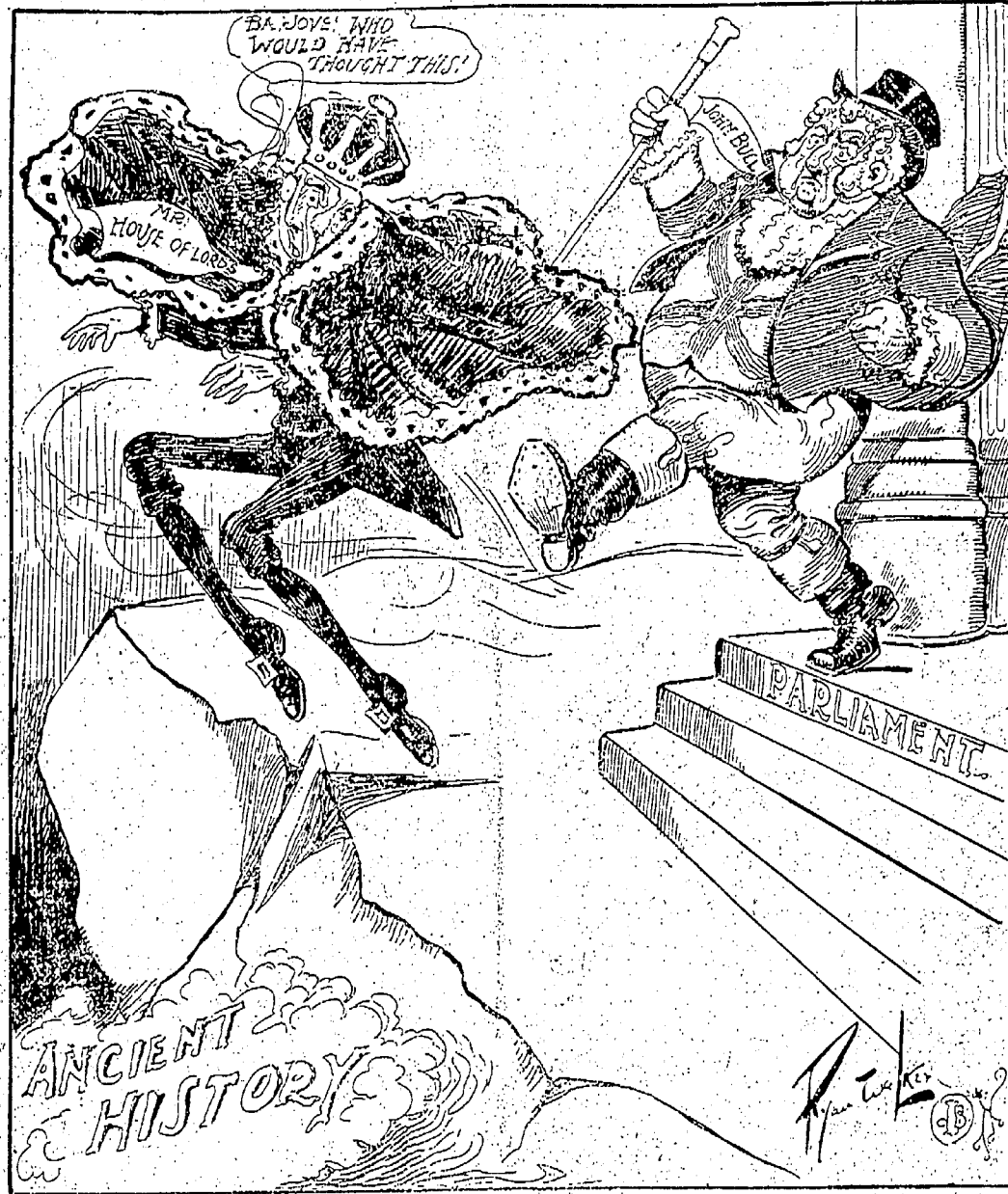
Charles Kendall

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Beloit, Wis., Feb. 27.—Charles Kendall, a resident of Beloit since 1863, and a justice of the peace for nearly twenty-five years, died this morning at 7:40 of pneumonia with which he was stricken a week ago. He was 80 years of age January 25, and his age made it impossible for him to survive the attack of the disease. He is survived by his wife, one son William and two daughters, Mrs. A. G. Peterson of Aurora, Neb., and Mrs. E. V. Munn of this city. The funeral will probably be held Friday afternoon.

FINED FOR DRUNKENNESS

In municipal court Tuesday morning Otto Draht paid a fine of \$2 and costs for drunkenness.

Buy it in Janesville.



NOT YET, BUT SOON.

There is a movement on foot in England to do away with the House of Lords in England.—News Item.

ENGLAND'S FAMOUS "TOM THUMB" DEAD

Three Foot Diminutive Lived to be Seventy-three, Enjoying Health Till Recently.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

London, Feb. 27.—Richard Garnsey, known as "Field Marshal Tom Thumb," and who created a great sensation at the Egyptian Hall, London, fifty years ago, by his diminutive stature, is dead at his home in Somerset, at the age of seventy-four years.

When he appeared in London half a century ago he followed close on the much-boomed appearance of the American Tom Thumb, causing an even greater sensation than that which had caused. Afterwards, Garnsey traveled all over Europe, his perfectly formed figure being examined by doctors everywhere. After giving up exhibiting himself in public he commenced farming, enjoying splendid health until a short time before his death. He had smoked nearly all his life. He was just three feet in height.

A LITTLE TWO-YEAR DIES FROM POISON

Drank Lye Two Months Ago and Died This Morning.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Green Bay, Wis., Feb. 27.—Ruth, the two-year-old daughter of Louis Straubel, a wealthy machine manufacturer, died this morning from drinking lye two months ago.

ELOPEMENT STORY WAS MADE PUBLIC

By Accident Secret of Prominent Kenosha People Was Disclosed.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Kenosha, Wis., Feb. 27.—N. F. Schmidt, a prominent businessman, cloped to Wheaton, Ill., Feb. 12th with Ida Powell, his employee. The story got out today through Wheaton people who visited here, spoiling the secret, which was to have been kept until next summer.

HARRIMAN CONCLUDES ALL HIS TESTIMONY

Completes What He Has to Say on the Stand and is Followed by Banker Kahn.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

New York, Feb. 27.—Edward H. Harriman concluded his testimony before the interstate commerce commission today. Nothing of unusual importance was adduced. Otto Kahn of the firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., followed Mr. Harriman.

Michigan Democrats

Flint, Mich., Feb. 27.—Democratic leaders of Michigan are rounding up in Flint in anticipation of tomorrow's state convention. The convention will name candidates for justice of the supreme court and regents of the state university. There are no active candidates for places on the ticket, though the names of several leaders are being discussed by the delegates already in the city. The Genesee County Jefferson club has arranged for a banquet at the Dryden hotel tonight in honor of the visiting democrats.

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Nomination Papers

The nomination papers for John O'Hara as democratic candidate for alderman from the second ward were filed with the city clerk Tuesday.

COREA'S BRIDE IS SOUTHERN HEIRESS

American Girl Who Became Wife of Minister From Nicaragua is Only Nineteen.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 27.—One of the most brilliant weddings of the season took place today when Miss India Belle Fleming, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Robert L. Fleming, was married to Senator Don Luis F. Corea, the minister from Nicaragua, in the presence of a distinguished company, which included cabinet members, justices of the supreme court, senators and representatives in congress and the entire body of foreign diplomats in Washington. The scene of the wedding was the handsome home of the bride's parents in Massachusetts avenue. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a superbly built gown of rich cream satin, with bodice and sleeves heavily embroidered in silk and finished in a fall of point lace. She had four attendants, who were gowned in white and carried bouquets of white carnations and lilies of the valley. Senator Corea has as his best man the Mexican ambassador, Senator Enrique Creel. The Episcopal marriage service was used. The marriage ceremony was followed by a large reception. Col. Fleming, father of the bride, is a Southerner and a former officer of the Confederate army. Her mother was a Miss Vedder, the artist. Miss Fleming was born in Washington and attended school here, but has traveled extensively abroad. She is only nineteen years old, while Senator Corea is forty-three. Senator Corea is one of the best known men here in the diplomatic corps. He was accredited to this post in 1897, and has been prominent since in society. He is a graduate of the National College of Nicaragua and of the Central University of Guatemala. He has taught history, philosophy and mathematics, served as a judge, and qualified himself as expert in international law. He is said to be highly esteemed by the president and people of his country and it is believed that he will soon be promoted to higher honors in public life.

JEROME'S ANTI-RACE TRACK BILLS HEARD

Joint Committee of New York State Senate and Assembly Considering Measures.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 27.—The codes committee of the senate and assembly today began a public hearing on the Agnew-Stanley bills, which, if enacted into law, will put a stop to betting on race tracks in New York state. District Attorney Jerome is the author of the bills and allied with him in the endeavor to secure their passage are the organized church forces of the entire state. That the race track interests are seriously alarmed over the outlook is evident by the strenuous efforts they are now making to kill the bills in committee and prevent their being reported to the legislature.

ANOTHER MONSTER ADDED TO THE NAVY

"Minnesota," One of Largest Belonging to the United States Boats, Put Into Commission.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 27.—The 16,000-ton battleship, Minnesota, becomes a part of the active strength of the American navy at Norfolk today, when she will be formally delivered to the government by her builders. The Minnesota is of the largest class of American battleships so far put in service. Two of this same class—the Connecticut, built at the Brooklyn navy yard by the United States government, and the Louisiana, built at Newport News, are already in active service. Another vessel of the same class is the Vermont, built at Fore River, and now ready to be commissioned at the Charleston navy yard. Two other battleships of the same type and dimensions are the Kansas and the New Hampshire. The Minnesota is 3500 tons larger than battleships of the Maine class, and has 1052 tons greater displacement than the New Jersey and her sister ships. She will carry four 12-inch and eight 8-inch breech-loading rifles, mounted in turrets, and twelve 7-inch breech-loading rifles in broadsides in her main battery, and twenty 3-pounder rapid-fire, twelve 3-pounder semi-automatic, eight 1-potter, two 3-inch field guns, six 30-calibre automatic and two Maxim guns in the second battery. She will be equipped with four 21-inch submerged torpedo tubes.

CENSUS REPORT HAS STARTLING FIGURES

Deaths and Their Causes Attributed to Many Different Diseases by Officials.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 27.—According to the census report issued today out of two-fifths of the population of the population of the United States there were a half million deaths from diseases in 1905. The greatest number of deaths were from pulmonary tuberculosis pneumonia and cancer. Senator Patterson of Colorado today made an exhaustive speech in the senate in advocacy of the government ownership of railways.

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LONGFELLOW CENTENARY APPROPRIATELY OBSERVED

Boston, Where Poet Spent Greater Part Of
Life, Enjoyed Holiday--State Of Maine
Paid Special Tribute.

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Boston, Mass., Feb. 27.—This city and vicinity, in which Henry Wadsworth Longfellow spent most of his long and useful life, today fittingly commemorated the one hundredth anniversary of the great poet. The celebration was of unusual magnitude, as all the public schools, many churches, societies and institutions united in observing Longfellow's natal day.

In Cambridge, where the poet lived for many years, interesting exercises were held under the auspices of the Cambridge Historical society. The public exercises were held in Sanders theatre. The program included an original poem by Thomas Bailey Aldrich and addresses by President Eliot of Harvard, Professor Charles Eliot Norton and Colonel Thomas Wentworth Higginson.

At the Hotel Brunswick in this city tonight the Bowdoin Alumni association will give a dinner in commemoration of the poet, who was one of the famous graduates of the Maine college. President Hyde of Bowdoin is to be present and speak, and among the other speakers will be Professor Barrett Wendell of Harvard, Professor Henry L. Chapman of Bowdoin, and Hon. Charles T. Libby of Portland.

In Maine
Augusta, Me., Feb. 27.—In accordance with a resolution passed by the Maine legislature, the leading cities of the state united today in celebrating the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Henry W. Longfellow, who was born in Portland, February 27, 1807. From every public school building and many private residences flags were displayed in Longfellow's honor. In colleges and high schools addresses were made on the life of Longfellow, and in the lower grades gentleness, patriotism and love of nature, as typified by the "Children of the Poet" and his writings, were the lessons drawn by principals and teachers. In every school throughout the state his poems were recited, and stories were told of the poet's boyhood and school days, his life at Bowdoin, his "wreath" of Cambridge and his tours and studies abroad.

Elaborate, as they were, however, today's exercises were only preliminary to the celebration to be held in the Augusta city hall tonight, when addresses will be delivered by emment writers, educators and public men from Maine and other states.

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Pearl Lodge No. 84, K. of P. gave a social to the members and their wives and families last evening. A program by the little folks was much enjoyed. An orchestra added much to the occasion.

While Mr. M. H. Doolittle is in the west, Mrs. Doolittle will make a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Will Kilbue on Jordan Prairie.

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TROLLEY LEAGUE HAS TAKEN A NEW LEASE

Base Ball May be Played in Six Cities on the Trolley Line This Summer.

It is possible that Janesville may be a part of a Six Team Trolley base ball league this coming summer. Base ball fans are striving to get up enough enthusiasm along the line to have teams in Beloit, Rockford, Aurora, Elgin, Streator and Janesville. The idea would be to have each team play ten games with each club during the season. Whether Janesville will have a team in such a league is not yet known. There is lots of good base ball material in this city but the financial support appears to be lacking. In order to make it pay, base ball must have good crowds at the home games.

CLAIM THE BUG-KILLER DIDN'T FAZZE INSECTS— LAW SUIT THE RESULT

Action of Adv. vs. N. W. Bunker of Avalon Will be Tried Before Judge Reeder.

Some time ago N. W. Bunker of Avalon took the agency for a line of bug-killers nostrums and hog cholera remedies, manufactured by some concern out west. It is alleged that the dopes failed to prove up to representations and Mr. Bunker refused to pay for the consignment, sent him. The claim has been put in the hands of a man named Ady and he will prosecute it before Judge Reeder at one o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Mr. Bunker will have as witnesses a number of farmers who experimented with the "bugicides."

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THE JANESVILLE MARKET.

Quotations on Grain and Produce for
The Gazette.

Feb. 26, 1907.

WHEAT—50c for 60 lbs.
RYE—45c for 60 lbs.
BARLEY—50c for 60 lbs.
OATS—35c for 60 lbs.

TIMOTHY—50c—Retail at \$1.75 to \$2.00 a bu
Buy at \$1.45 to \$1.55 bu.

FEED—Pure corn and oats, \$18.00 to \$20.00
ton.

WHEAT—\$23 to \$24 sacked per ton.
STANDARD MIDDLING—\$23 to \$24 sacked.

WHEAT—\$17.75 to \$18.00 per cwt.
CORN MEAL—\$1.75 to \$1.80 per ton.

HAY—Per ton baled, \$12.00 to \$15.00.
STRAW—Per ton baled, \$5.50 to \$7.50.

BUTTER—Dairy, 20c.
CREAMERY—35c.

POTATOES—\$4 to \$4.25.
EGGS—strictly fresh, 25c to 35c

Vatican Mosaic Factory.

The pope maintains a mosaic fac-
tory in the Vatican. Here the patient
artists work in a gallery lined with
29,000 lockers in which repose sticks
of celica of all the myriad varying
shades required to reproduce the tints
from canvas.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure
any case of Itch, Blain, Bleeding or
Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money
refunded. 50c.

TRUE STATUS OF
CORRESPONDENT

WASHINGTON WRITER RIDICULES
RECENT ALLEGED EXPOSURE.

PURELY SENSATIONALISM

Misrepresentation of Real Facts and
Distorted Views of the Work
That is Done.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, Feb. 27.—Washington
correspondents are very much amused
at the publication in a leading weekly
periodical of large circulation, of a
"write-up" of one of their number
who sometimes acts as a "publicity
agent." The ways of press agents
are hard to follow and the skeptical
correspondents are asking if the
"write-up" is not "pure advertising."

While condemning his business, the
article gives him great praise for his
cleverness and ingenuity, and refers
in flattering terms to the services he
is alleged to have rendered to corpora-
tions. When asked about it the
correspondent press agent merely re-
plies that he furnished the periodical
"with most of the material" and that
it had, and has his permission to
publish anything about him as long as
it tells the truth.

The article is a very good example
of calling attention to the war be-
tween the old and new idea of influ-
encing legislation at Washington. The
"new idea" is one of growth. When
the writer first became a Washington
correspondent the method employed
was principally that of reaching mem-
bers or senators in person. Then de-
veloped the hearings before commit-
tees of congress and finally the appeal
to the country at large through the
press. Fifteen years ago, except on
matters of the greatest importance,
but little attention was paid to commit-
tee hearings. Firms, corporations,
and individuals throughout the coun-
try depended on letters or personal
visits to individual congressmen or
senators to care for their legislative
interests. Then the idea developed
that persons interested in legislation
should appear before the committees
and openly state their reasons for op-
posing or favoring a bill under consid-
eration. For some years practically
no attention was paid to these hear-
ings. I well remember being rebuked
by my chief for reporting at some
length the first hearings on the rail-
road rate question. "Cut it down," he
said, "no one cares anything about
that," and it was not until those in
favor of rate regulation established a
press bureau in Milwaukee, and flood-
ed the country with literature that the
general public did "care anything"
about the subject. Once aroused,
however, the country responded and
the rate bill was forced through con-
gress by the public sentiment thus
aroused.

The step from extended committee
hearings to "publicity" was short. The
first was an open appeal to the con-
gressman, the next was one to their
constituents direct. Naturally there
are two sides to every question. Those
who insist on the "bureau of reform"
are loath to recognize this fact. Let
a man pin a badge on himself as a
"reformer" and he immediately be-
comes a self-constituted judge of pur-
ity, honesty, righteousness, probity
and honor. Pursue the inquiry a lit-
tle further and you find that in the
opinion of the true reformer, all virtue
is enlisted on his side, and all corrup-
tion on the other. If he advocates a
proposition that is sufficient, for he
carries all the virtues with him, and
nothing but the vices are left for the
opposition. But the American public,
somewhat fair-minded, believes in a
"square deal" and does not endorse
the proposition that the prosecution
has a mortgage on the press and pub-
lic. Some times the defense gets a
show. For instance, the "true re-
former" for years appealed to press
and public through publicity agents
in behalf of railroad rate legislation,
but when the railroads undertook to
put their side of the case before the
public, what a howl went up! Every
newspaper that dared to print a line
even advocating that the railroads be
given a "show for their 'white-alley,'"

was immediately branded as having
been "bought." A suggestion that
perhaps all that is good and holy was
not cornered by the advocates of the
pure-foot bill, and that the bill itself
was not the embodiment of all human
wisdom, led to the same result. When
the international reform-bureau flood-
ed the country with frank matter
urging the abolition of the canteen it
was all right and proper, but when
the brewers established press head-
quarters here to advocate its re-es-
tablishment of the canteen, then it was
all wrong. The immunity from criti-
cism and the freedom of speech, claim-
ed by the "true reformer" as a God-
given prerogative, would be appalling
if it were not amusing. In older
times degrees of knighthood were con-
ferred and carried with them certain
privileges. The modern method ap-
pears to be to confer the degree upon
self and assure all privileges and im-
munities. Seriously speaking, it is an
open question whether a self-attached
label really carries the weight that
some people think it does, for many
a wolf has masqueraded in sheep's
clothing.

But to return to our mutt, the
publicity idea has grown apace. Where
five years ago there was but one such
agent there are now half a dozen
bureaus in this city and much in-
cidental work. President Roosevelt not
only appeals to the public direct but
appointed a press agent for the Pan-
ama canal, at a salary of \$10,000 a year.
Many of the departments and bureaus
employ newspaper correspondents
to prepare matter for the press, and
senators and congressmen circulate
or cause to be circulated advance
copies of their speeches and inter-
views. Only recently a band of noble
Knights with the reform label plastered
on all over them, announced with a
great flourish of trumpets that they
had established a "lobby" here, whose
mission would be to appeal to the
press on all matter wherein their sub-
scribers were interested. The fact
that this "lobby" is endorsed by the
periodicals which condemn others for
precisely the same work may explain
many things. If you are not one of
the chosen you are one of the lost.
The proposition is simple.

Yet one must admit that the pub-
licity idea is a good one and has led
to results of incalculable benefit to the
country. The time-ignited is burning
with constantly increasing intensity upon
affairs of the national capital. The
lobbyists who used to infest the cap-
ital are being driven farther and
farther into the dark recesses. It will
be only a short time before congress
enacts a law requiring the registration
of all legislative agents, and restrict-
ing the despicable methods from
which the country has suffered so
much in by-gone days. They are not
all gone yet! There still remain a
few persons who undertake to "in-
fluence" legislation and legislators by
corrupt methods, who profess to con-
trol votes of congressmen, and who
depend upon their reputation for trac-
ery to secure their lucrative engage-
ments. Against these forms of lobby-
ing the "publicity agent" is ruthlessly
warring and the "true reformer"
should get in line. The country has
little to fear from any person who
makes a straight-forward appeal to
the general press. Those who seek
to corrupt the press should be as
severely dealt with as those who at-
tempt to corrupt legislators. After
all, the newspapers are fairly com-
petent to attend to their own business.
They are not all corrupt, nor are all
entire fools.

"SPRING AILMENTS"
ARE NATURE'S CURES

Exercise and Fresh Air During Win-
ter Would Have Prevented Much
Sickness, Says Colgrove.

"All the cases of gripe and similar
spring ailments which are so common
now are the cures that nature is pre-
scribing for the systems which have
been run down during the winter,"
says V. H. Colgrove, physical direc-
tor at the Y. M. C. A. He continued:
"There are three principal channels
through which the waste materials
of the body are thrown off. They are
the lungs, the pores of the skin and
the kidneys. During the winter many
people have not had enough fresh air,
consequently the lungs have been un-
able to do their normal share of the
work. Others have not exercised
enough to perspire sufficiently to
keep the pores open and so they also
have been incapacitated for their
work. So most of the waste materials
have gone to the kidneys and these
organs have been overworked. The
strain has weakened the kidneys and
they have failed to perform the en-
tire duty. So the waste materials
have remained in the body and re-
sulted in a poisoning of the system.
The sicknesses and ailments have
compelled people to cease producing
waste materials until the kidneys are
relieved and with the coming of spring
people get more fresh air and weather
conditions stimulate perspiration. In
many instances, however, weather
conditions will not effect a cure and
so some poison (medicine) must be
taken to counteract the poison in the
system."

Chance for Business.

Heavy Father (to suitor)—I give
each of my daughters a dowry of 20-
000 marks. But if you want 40,000
marks for your business your partner
can also have one of my daughters.—
Fliegende Blätter.

D. W. HOLMES HAS BOUGHT
THE PLINY NORCROSS HOME
LOCATED IN FOREST PARK

And Expects to Take Possession About
the First of April—W. S. Pond
Home Sold.

Negotiations have been concluded
for the transfer of the modern and
beautifully situated Pliny Norcross
home in Forest Park to David W.
Holmes, secretary and treasurer of the
Blodgett Milling Co. The new owner
expects to take possession about April
1. William S. Pond has sold his
suburban home in the second ward to
Edward Poenichen who resides at 118
Lincoln street, the consideration nam-
ed being \$5,500. The property was
formerly known as the Kinney place
and consists of seven acres of land
fronting on Hickory street, Hyland and
St. Mary's avenues. It is improved
by modern dwelling place, now oc-
cupied by Arthur Metzinger. Mr.
Poenichen will take possession in the
spring.

ALL MOTHERS SHOULD
READ THIS LETTER

Daughter of C. W. Stump

Mrs. C. W. Stump, of Caution, Ohio,
writes: "I wish I could induce every
mother who has a weak, sickly child
to try that delicious cod liver prepa-
ration, Vinol. Our little daughter was
pale, thin and sickly. She had no ap-
petite and no ambition.

"We tried various medicines, but
without any benefit whatever, and she
could not take cod liver oil or emul-
sions, as they nauseated her and upset
her stomach.

"Learning that Vinol contains all
the medicinal and strength-giving
properties of cod liver oil, but with-
out the disagreeable oil, we decided to
try it, and the results were marvelous.
It gave her a hearty appetite, the col-
or returned to her cheeks and she is
stronger and in better health than she
has been for years.

"I cannot say enough in favor of
Vinol for weak, delicate children."

A member of the Smith Drug Co.
says: "We have never sold a medicine
in our store equal to Vinol for deli-
cate, ailing children, weak old people,
or sickly women and children, and we
return money if it fails to benefit."

NOTE—While we are sole agents
for Vinol in Janesville, it is now for
sale at the leading drug store in near-
by every town and city in the country.
Look for the Vinol agency in your
town.

BELOIT COLLEGE
REMOVAL TALKED

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DISCUSSED BY DEAN COLLIE.

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The trustees are engaged in raising
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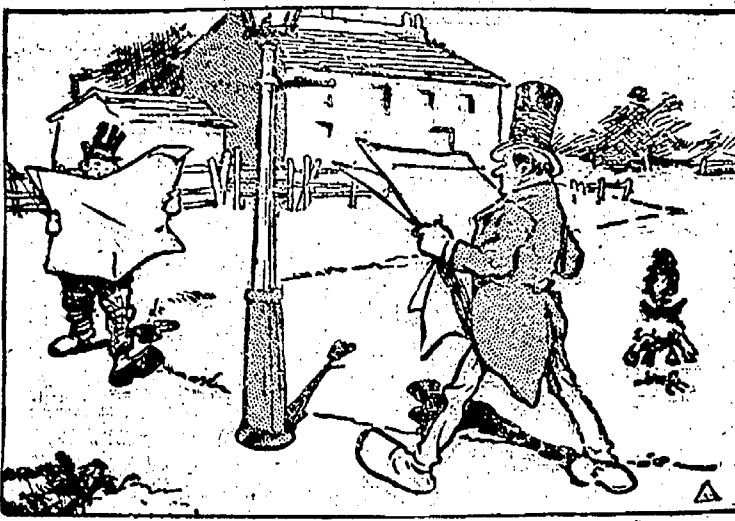
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He Who Walks Must Read.



Everybody reads this paper—it is truly quite surprising. How they pore these pages over, in studying the advertising. Looking for the things he fancies in the WANTS and big "display." He who runs (or walks) must read what ADVERTISERS have to say.

..Forty Years Ago..

Janesville Daily Gazette, Wednesday, February 27, 1867.—Rejected. The nomination of Mr. Rogers, as Postmaster of this city, was rejected Saturday evening by the Senate.

Going to Work in Good Earnest.—The Baptist Society have already made the purchase of some eight thousand dollars' worth of material for their new church, and will commence work upon the structure immediately. The work will be pushed with vigor, and when completed will stand a splendid monument to the enterprise and liberality of this society.

Sudden Death.—A man named August Tennant, while sitting in the store of Mr. P. J. Inman, on Milwaukee street, this afternoon, fell from his chair suddenly and expired in about two minutes. He had been engaged in conversation with Mr. Martin Glass, and the last words he uttered were, that something was not right with him. His remains were taken to his home on the Magnolia Road.

near the residence of Mr. Bemis. He was a tailor by trade, about 35 years old, and a sober, industrious man.

Pocket Picking.—Yesterday Mr. David Smith, a gentleman seventy years of age, had his wallet taken from him as he was leaving the train which brought him to this city from Boscebel. He says he did not miss it until he went to purchase a ticket to Chicago. He was somewhat deaf and says he was very much crowded in getting from the train to the platform, and is of the opinion that it was taken from his pants pocket at that time, by a person who pretended to show him which side of the depot the Chicago train would come up. The loss was twenty-five dollars but he had enough left to take him to Pennsylvania. He thinks that the person who perpetrated the theft is about twenty years of age, no beard, rather tall and wore a cap and black coat. This was corroborated by another passenger who also gave this description.

Before The Footlights.

Historic Ireland. Ireland has long been enshrined in song and story, but for the first time in its history it has now been enshrined in enduring moving pictures. Splendid animated pictures of its principal places of interest, the habits, customs and industries of its people as well as its historic and natural beauties will be shown by Lyman H. Howe in Myers theatre on Friday, March 1. The scenes include a trip through Dublin's principal streets. Its many monuments that speak of days of strife, noble deeds and enterprise make these pictures extremely interesting. The Bank of Ireland—regarded as the handsomest structure in Dublin—is portrayed magnificently.

varied, so strongly contrasted, so skillfully handled, and so thoroughly well acted, that it is impossible not to find entertainment and deep interest in all their phases and almost every action.

In the way of lifelike portraiture, with just sufficient exaggeration in the drawing to give dramatic impressiveness to outline and color, there is nothing better to be found upon the English speaking stage today than these creations of Miss Parker, with which "Way Down East" is peopled, and through whom its fiction is told. The story has serious moments, sections of truth, as it would seem, told boldly, yet artistically and with great nicety in choice, from life itself. It



"WAY DOWN EAST" AT THE MYERS THEATRE THURSDAY EVENING

The imposing O'Connell and Nelson monuments; the postoffice and Trinity college all add dignity to one of the finest features of Mr. Howe's new program. Less dignified but more quaint are the scenes shown in the zig-zag streets of Cork. The vivacity and happy-go-lucky temperament of the easy going Celt is pictured to the life. The actions of the typical Irish characters of the Old Clothes Market, an Irish "Suffragette" and the town jester are most amusing. Blarney Castle and its world-famous Blarney stone that has "A tale of power in it" and Limerick with its history lost in antiquity give this reproduction a rare historic value.

"Way Down East" will no doubt receive its usual cordial reception upon its presentation at the Myers theatre, Thursday, Feb. 28.

The play and its story are familiar to all classes of theatregoers, and it is a matter of general information that but few plays of any character have ever enjoyed the long life and continued prosperity of this Lottie Blair Parker rural comedy.

Its characters are so unique, so well

is a most interesting life, too, that supplies these scenes and incidents, a life full of pathos and heart appeal, one of sympathy and convincing force.

These facts are not new; thousands bear witness to their pleasant knowledge of their existence by repeated visits to the play's performance, and it is safe to say that the great majority of theatregoers have been present at the story's stage-recital upon many previous occasions. That is the miracle about this greatly discussed piece, that it never seems to lose interest or force for the general theatre-goer through repetition. People go again and again to its presentations and always to enjoy it as though it had come fresh from its author's pen.

Again Messrs. Brady and Grismer never permit it to deteriorate in any way, and in its staging, general equipment and acting is as bright, as new, as vigorous and of as great importance as at all interested in all affairs, as though being shown for the first time. A splendid quartette renders the interpolated songs with great effect, adding interest and pleasure to the performance.

Suburban News In Brief

SOUTH WEST LIMA. South west Lima, Feb. 25.—The moving fever is epidemic again. Nearly everyone in this vicinity attended the farewell party at Will Krantz's Saturday evening.

Auctioneers are numerous at present. Tom and Charles Branks were callers at C. A. Hunt's and Henry Krantz's Sunday.

Mr. Venzel and son of Whitewater are painting the inside of Mr. Schelke's new house.

Mr. and Mrs. Gai Richmond were callers at Jno. Lackner's Sunday afternoon.

Wm. Freeman invited a few of his neighbors to assist him in moving his house last Friday to his new home.

Miss Mabel Frank is assisting Mrs. Wm. Dixon with her housework.

Mrs. Jno. Lackner has been confined to her home for several days with a severe cold.

Edwards spent over Sunday with her mother Mrs. Lottie Edwards at Magnolia.

Mrs. Edward Rice of Milton Jct. spent Friday with relatives here.

Nelson Clark visited his father and mother at Magnolia last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hiett entertained a party of their neighbors Thursday evening.

E. Miller and Cash Stone each have new gramophones.

Miss Margaret Hamilton of Janesville and Miss Christina Barless of Rock Prairie visited at P. Traynor's Thursday.

Mrs. George Barnhart entertained the mite society last Wednesday.

Miss Anna Deidrick of Johnstown Center visited her sister Mrs. Will Miller recently.

Frank Johnson's little daughter Caroline was threatened with pneumonia last week but is now better.

Mrs. Kerbert Robinson is still sick at the home of her uncle in Ill., her many friends hope to hear of an improvement in her condition soon.

Mrs. Grace Montgomery of North Dakota has been visiting relatives and friends here.

Edgerton where she has been all winter.

Miss Martha Miller is home from

ter.

Mr. S. Wener was a caller in this vicinity Monday.

KOSHKONONG. Koshkonong, Feb. 25.—Miss Minnie

Read the want ads.

JOHNSTOWN.

Johnstown, Feb. 26.—A little boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Avon Rye Feb. 26.

Critial Gessler, who has been in a critical condition the past week, due to dropsy and heart trouble is a little better this morning.

Mrs. Dr. Rockwell is seriously ill. Dr. St. John of Janesville was called.

Miss Gertrude Rockwell was called home from Chicago to care for her mother who is ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Grank Bellman of the Island were called here to see their father, Mr. Gessler, who is very low.

J. W. Jones delivered his tobacco to L. B. Carle & Son at Janesville.

Mrs. Frank McKellips is visiting Mrs. George Cary at Janesville.

Mrs. Maxson of Milton is nursing Mrs. Rye and the baby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Haight spent Tuesday in Janesville.

East Porter, Feb. 26.—The weather still continues as pleasant as could be desired.

Chas. Raymond spent several days in Chicago last week.

Miss Lizzie Kramer is improving and at last account was able to sit up.

Mr. and Mrs. Jensen attended church in Cooksville last Sunday.

Mrs. Humphrey of Edgerton delivered her tobacco crop last week which was raised by her son, Harry Boothroy.

Willie and Frances Gardner visited their grandma in South Fulton last Sunday.

Independent farmers are busy sowing their tobacco seed.

Curtis Jessup was home from the university at Madison last week.

Mr. Holden the tax collector was around looking after the delinquent taxpayers last Tuesday.

Flags were floating over the district schools last Tuesday in honor of Longfellow's birthday.

BAD WRECK ON GRAND TRUNK. Three Are Killed and Many Hurt at Guelph, Ont.

Guelph, Ont., Feb. 27.—The west-bound Chicago express on the Grand Trunk was wrecked near here Tuesday. Three persons were killed and every passenger on the train suffered more or less serious injuries. The entire train with the exception of the engine plunged over the track and plunged over a 20-foot embankment.

The dead are: John O'Donohue, former mayor of Stratford, Ont.; Charles Rankin, Stratford, Ont. and the two-year-old son of H. C. Walker, Peterboro, Ont.

"The train was running at the rate of 40 miles an hour when the accident occurred."

Appellate Court Clears Perkins. Albany, N. Y., Feb. 27.—By a divided court, voting four to three, the court of appeals Tuesday sustained the judgment of the court below to the effect that George W. Perkins, as a vice president of the New York Life insurance company, was not guilty of larceny in the use of funds of the company for contributions to the Republican campaign fund in 1904.

Fatal Fire in Los Angeles. Los Angeles, Feb. 27.—Fire that originated in the basement of the Fair Novelty store in the five-story brick German building at 236 South Spring street, shortly after one o'clock Tuesday, gained great headway before it was extinguished, caused the death of one woman, seriously endangered the lives of several other persons and caused property loss of many thousands of dollars.

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President to Speak at Lansing. Washington, Feb. 27.—President Roosevelt Tuesday told Dr. J. L. Snyder, president of the Michigan Agricultural college at Lansing, Mich., that he would address the students of that institution on the afternoon of May 31, the day after the unveiling of the Lawton monument at Indianapolis by the president.

Two Trainmen Killed. Truro, N. S., Feb. 27.—Two employees of the Intercolonial railroad were killed and several persons were injured, one probably fatally, by a head-on collision Tuesday night between an express bound for Boston, and a Canadian Pacific express from Montreal at Halifax, at Brookfield, near Truro.

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WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

A STATE PARK

When the state settles down to the idea of improving the state capitol property by the purchase of six blocks in the heart of Madison the scheme will not look as chimerical as it first appears. Wisconsin is growing. When the site of the present capitol was selected sixty years ago Wisconsin was but a territory. The eight square blocks set aside for the capitol building and park was ample for the needs of the building then erected. The state grew, it was necessary to increase the capacity of the capitol. Wings were tacked on, north and south. But the state still grew. More room is needed now and in ten years much more will be necessary. A larger capitol structure will be an absolute necessity. The question of erecting a new building was discussed by the legislature of 1903. Then came the fire which partially destroyed the old building and the project took form of definite plans. To complete these designs several million dollars will be used. A magnificent structure will be erected, one which the state can well be proud of, one which will meet the needs of the executive departments for many years to come. Senator Stout and others believe that if this large sum is to be expended the dimensions of the capitol park should be increased. With this in view, they have formulated a plan for the purchase of six blocks of Madison real estate at an estimated cost of two million, to add to present park limits. It is a magnificent project. Additional room will be an absolute necessity in a few years and the property that can now be obtained at a moderate cost will then be much higher and instead of two million four or five would be necessary. Property in Madison is rising in value. Owing to the geographical conditions it must extend to the east and north or south and west. It is hemmed in between the two lakes and this property so located is bound to increase in value. Senator Stout's plans will bear careful inspection and when fully understood should receive hearty support. It appears a gigantic undertaking at first, but when fully understood it will be seen to be the plans of men who look into the future.

THE BIG FIVE

There were in the state of Wisconsin at the time of the issue of the last Blue Book fifty daily English newspapers. Of these five were issued in Milwaukee, the remaining forty-five in the state at large. The five Milwaukee papers, two morning and three afternoon, lay claims to being the dictators of state politics. They have their corps of correspondents at Madison who are supposed to handle legislative news of importance. The majority of the smaller state papers do not hire special Madison correspondents, but either depend upon reports from the Milwaukee papers or employ some reporter who furnishes a string of papers with Madison news. In this way the Milwaukee papers are enabled to publish first news of state importance, to the detriment of their smaller brethren. On Monday last The Gazette published an exclusive story of the possible purchase of six blocks of the city of Madison for a new capitol park. Immediately the Milwaukee papers, twelve to twenty-four hours later, published the same news and in many cases the identical language of the Gazette story, with an explanation that they had known of the plan for weeks, but had been sworn to secrecy until the plans were perfected. That they deplored the untimely disclosure made by the Janesville paper and otherwise expressed disapproval of the fact that state news was not first disseminated through their columns. Their egotism is laughable. They greatly overrate their own value as news distributors. The announcement that they had known the story for weeks, but had refrained from making it public, a matter of state-wide importance, shows a combination either in the offices of the Milwaukee papers themselves or of their Madison correspondents, that is dangerous to the welfare of the state at large. The Milwaukee papers never have and never can take the place of the forty-five daily papers throughout the state. These papers exist today, have existed in the past, upon local patronage. They serve their purpose as no paper edited by men strangers to the community they write of could. There is not a question of state importance fostered by the Milwaukee papers that they do not seek the aid and assistance of their country brethren in furthering. There is not a bit of adverse legislation to newspaper interests that comes before the state legislature that the Milwaukee newspaper men do not seek to have some of their country editor friends pull the chestnuts out of the fire for them. If more railroad trains are wanted to increase the commercial value of Milwaukee, the coun-

try editor is asked to lend his aid and support. If Milwaukee is to have a great convention, state fair or other large gathering, the country daily paper is importuned to lend its aid to make the gathering a success. At these times the members of the big five are ready to acknowledge the worth of the daily papers in the small cities. But when it comes to a matter of distribution of news of state importance they deplore the fact that the smaller paper dared to invade their news field and make known matters which they thought secretly locked in their bosoms. The egotism of the great five is illustrated in the following extract from the story which was made public by the Gazette last Monday and which the Milwaukee papers copied using in several cases the Gazette article word for word:

"At the solicitation of Senator Stout, ex-Senator W. Hatten and other prominent men deeply interested in the project, the newspaper men of Madison and the correspondents of Milwaukee papers agreed to withhold the publication until the opposition was clearly defined. A Janesville newspaper man, however, learned of the matter and caused the news to be published in Chicago and Milwaukee papers. Those who have done the most earnest work in behalf of the plan greatly fear that the premature publication of the details will prevent the project from being carried through, but they will strain every nerve to overcome the drawback."

OSHKOSH'S IDEA

Oshkosh would move the state capitol, buildings and all to their city. The plans do not say whether they would consult the wishes of the people or not, but simply move the entire paraphernalia to their sawdust city as one would move a vacant frame house on wheels. Oshkosh does not appear to know that there are state laws, constitutional laws, relative to the establishment of the state capitol and the University in the same locality. It says nothing about moving the state University. But doubtless when this point is raised they would say: Bring the University along. We have plenty of room for it. Madison is the capital of the state. It would cost millions to remove from this city and the taxpayers of the state will never allow such a thought to be seriously contemplated.

GOLD IMPORTS

"More gold imports," says a commercial paper. Quite likely. The man or nation selling more than is bought must be paid. When more is bought than is sold then there must be a settlement the other way. Uncle Sam has a balance of trade on the right side. He is able to meet all his obligations and accumulate gold besides. This is by no means a novel situation. It has been going on for years, but if Governor Guild and other revisionists had their way we would soon be sending gold to Europe, as we did from 1840 to 1860. It looks as if it would be best for all of us to stand pat a while longer and let the gold come to us.

The Milwaukee Free Press announces that Spooner and La Follette are opposed on certain important measures. That is not news. Spooner was elected as a republican and votes as one, while La Follette was elected under the nomenclature of republican and usually votes with the democrats. No one is surprised they are opposed on certain measures. That is not news; it is something to be expected.

Chief Janson of Milwaukee makes claim that the poolrooms are responsible for much of the crime among the youth of his city. There is a state law that prohibits youths from hanging around such places, but evidently it is not enforced either in Janesville or Milwaukee. There is also a law which forbids the sale of liquor to minors, but this also appears to be easily evaded.

It is pretty near time for the gumshoe campaign business to end and for the fight to be made in the open. These underhand methods of trying to secure voters by promises given to everyone and on every subject should be ended by a flat announcement of platform.

It would appear as though Mr. Delmas was the one to draw blood out of Abe Hummel when Jerome put him on the stand. It would also appear that Mrs. Harry Thaw has greatly benefited her husband's chances for life and liberty, but at the expense of herself.

If any taxpayer wants to be caused the council to revoke the license of any saloon man who appears in the municipal court and pleads guilty to breaking an ordinance, did the public in general know of this?

If Janesville is going to have a Fourth of July celebration it is not a bit too early to start discussing it. While the weather is cold just now it will be warmer by July Fourth.

There is still a discussion as to whether the groundhog was right or wrong in his six weeks' more of cold weather. On first thought it would be decided that he was right.

Janesville is now in direct connection with Chicago by interurban. When the road to Madison is complete then Janesville can sit up and take notice.

Now that Stevens has quit his job the government has decided to put some of the Army engineers at work digging that big canal.

What promised to be a mild spring campaign now is announced as a battle royal in many of the wards.

PRESS COMMENT.

Three Invariable Combinations. Exchange: Did you ever read of a pretty woman's nose that wasn't "chiseled," a wife that wasn't "trustworthy" or a master's dog that wasn't "faithful"?

Boers Coming Into Their Own. Chicago Record-Herald: The Boers appear to be gradually getting possession of the Transvaal government, notwithstanding the contempt in which they are held by Rudyard Kipling and Laureate Austin.

The Fool Abroad. El Paso Herald: Harry Lehr, Newport's monkey-dinner man and social light, has been over talking to Kaiser Wilhelm. Something is always happening to give Germany a false idea of this country.

Stingy New Shah. Exchange: Over in Persia people are wrothy because the shah refuses to institute a harem and restricts his establishment to one wife, but being a shah is not as lucrative a job as it used to be.

Playing Marbles Also Gambling. Madison Democrat: The penny-in-the-slot machine that yields the reductive chewing gum is a twin brother to the one in the saloon and the boy who learns to patronize the one will as a man be quite apt to change his place of doing business.

Today's Luxury Tomorrow's Necessity. Exchange: The rapidity with which marvelous conveniences become common in the eyes of those who enjoy them is shown in the growing of the passengers of the Scandinavian-American liner Helig Olav because several wireless messages were not received and delivered.

Gans is on the Rocks. Evening Wisconsin: There is any truth in the report from Rochester that Joe Gans, the champion lightweight pugilist, has lost all of his recent big winnings on the gaming table; the sporting public may soon expect the ducky athlete to fight anybody for "any old purse."

Impaired Confidence Deserved. Chicago Chronicle: President Truesdale of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company solemnly warns the country that the daily attacks on the railroad companies are "killing public confidence." What is attracting most attention at present is the rate at which the railroads are killing the people.

Some Obstacles in the Way. Racine Journal: We are now given the pointer that the rivalry between Senator La Follette and Congressman Esch over the respective rail employ bills will result in the senator taking the official scalp of the congressman and putting Speaker Elbern in his place. Still maybe constituents of Mr. Esch will have something to say.

An Eastern Town's Awakening. Superior Telegram: Some of the Eastern towns grow as rapidly as the western towns. There is little old Schenectady, N. Y., which after being nearly a hundred years old, had in 1880 only 13,665 inhabitants, has since then taken a start and grown up to 70,000 people. That is surely growing some. Its tax rate is only 18.4 mills.

Trifling With a Great Poem. Exchange: An English critic takes Longfellow to task for advising us to leave footprints on the sands of time. "Sands of time," says the critic, "are those in an hour glass, and it would not be reasonable to expect us to leave our footprints there." Perhaps Longfellow was thinking of them before they were gathered up and put in the glass. A poet has the right to see his sands first.

The Opposition to Roberts. Madison Democrat: It appears that the opposition to Dr. David Roberts' confirmation as state veterinarian is a sort of selfish conspiracy founded on selfish professionalism. Obviously the legislative committee did the proper thing when it called upon the opposition to submit a written brief explanatory of its attitude. It sometimes happens that a man's unpopularity with some of his professional associates argues for his independence and his general work. Possibly this may be the fact in the case of the present state veterinarian.

Civilization Needs a Muffler. Detroit Free Press: Until man got to work improving things on earth there was no such thing as noise. The sound of the storm, of the flood and the tide, the howling of herds and the call of beast to beast was music to the ear. But civilization is a bellow of contrasted sounds. Noise, noise! The man that makes the most noise is the only one heard and the city that makes the most noise and dirt has precedence among its fellows. Whatever does the ear the most violence seems to be most prized. The plea of the protesting nerves should be heeded. The man who on rising in the morning and going upon the street finds a noise and kills it should be richly rewarded. Civilization is in great need of a muffler.

Always Something. Whitewater Register: "Sometimes it is a rear-end collision. Sometimes it is an open switch. Sometimes it is a misread order. Sometimes it is a careless train dispatcher. Sometimes it is a broken rail or a broken axle or a broken flange. Sometimes it is a reckless engineer. But it is always something. Nothing interferes with the American railroad's beneficent work of reducing its patrons to pulp."—New York World.

Very true, and sometimes it is thunder and lightning, and sometimes it is a gun that you "didn't know was loaded," and sometimes it is thin ice, and sometimes it is a fool rocking a boat, and sometimes it is a mule who will not let you tickle his feet, and sometimes it is a kerosene can that explodes over the kitchen fire and sometimes it is a yellow fever mosquito, and sometimes it is a mad dog, and sometimes it is a snake bite, and sometimes it is ninety years old—in fact it is always "something" that is knocking you out just as you are getting good and ready to stay.

The Tribune's Little Joke. Chicago Chronicle: Readers of the esteemed Tribune, being readers of

the Tribune, know how to take a joke. Since the days of the historic Walter Riedinger, slayer of bandits and protector of female innocence, it has been the pleasant practice of the Tribune to divert its readers, ever and anon, with a merry jest—at their own expense.

Sometimes it is a little difficult for the reader to see the point of the joke, but if he earnestly seeks enlightenment and does not become discouraged he will eventually acquire the desired information. If he prove incorrigibly dull of apprehension the esteemed Tribune will itself take him by the hand, so to speak, and point out the things that are mirth-provoking.

In other words, the esteemed Tribune, having led its readers along with the idea that it was running a municipal beauty show, and having photographed and half-toned numerous ladies of varying degrees of pulchritude, and having classified them and catalogued them and sifted them down until "the most beautiful woman remained"—having thus worked expectation up to its highest pitch, the esteemed Tribune emits a merry chuckle, nokes its readers in the ribs and vociferates "Sold again!" and proceeds to show how the beauty show was in truth only a burlesque, the real object of which was to secure desirable publicity for certain brands of bottled beer, beauty parlors, shaving soap, typewriters, stove polish and similar articles of general use.

MARY MANNERING IS BOOKED FOR APRIL 2

Bertha Kalich Will Present "The Kreutzer Sonata" on March 13— "Girl of Golden West" Coming. Bertha Kalich, the great Yiddish actress and one of the foremost living exponents of the serious drama, will appear in Janesville Wednesday evening, March 13, at the Grand Opera House, Chicago, in an English translation of the Godin version of "The Kreutzer Sonata." "The Girl of the Golden West" is to be put on here sometime during the latter part of March but the date has not been definitely decided upon. Manager Myers has booked Mary Mannerling and her notable company, now appearing in Boston with great success in "Glorious Betsy," for Tuesday, April 2. Miss Mannerling's new vehicle is a play built around episodes in early American history and she will appear at the Grand Opera House, Chicago, just prior to the Janesville engagement. Negotiations for another return date of "The District Leader" have been in progress but it is unlikely that satisfactory arrangements will be made. Joe Howard writes from Duluth that he has bought the production and will be sole owner after June 1. It is booked here next season for Oct. 19 and January 1.

ANTLERS CONFERRED ON SIX NEOPHYTES

Local Lodge of Elks Initiated Another Class Last Evening—To Attend Minstrel Show at Beloit.

Janesville Lodge No. 254, B. P. O. E., initiated six more neophytes at its regular session last evening. The class was composed of Dr. Walter D. Merritt, Edward Amerpohl, Conductor George Howland of the St. Paul road, Frank Joyce, Officer Robert Bear and Frank Strickland. The lodge received an invitation from the Beloit Elks to attend the minstrel show to be given in the Line City Friday evening of this week and a committee was appointed to make arrangements for a special car on the interurban line.

THE RELIEF PLANS FOR MINE WORKERS

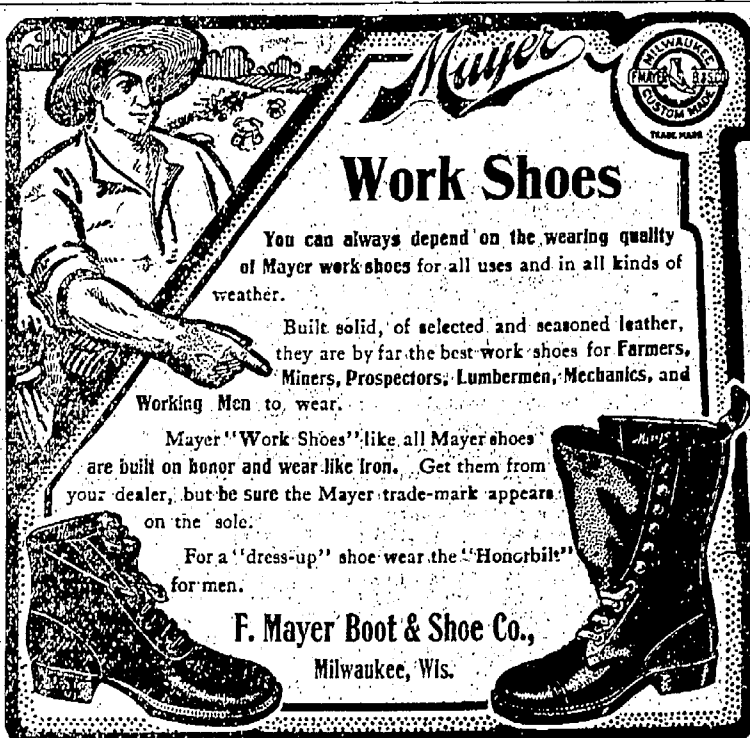
Companies Offer to Duplicate Any Amount Contributed by Men to Form Accident Insurance Fund.

Seranton, Pa., Feb. 27.—To provide quick and adequate relief for men injured in the mines two of the largest coal companies in the Wyoming Valley have formulated a plan for an accident insurance fund. The miners are to give one day's pay, and the total amount so contributed will be doubled by the employers. Out of this fund accident insurance of \$1 a day will be paid to those sustaining injuries which incapacitate them for work. In case of accidental death, funeral expenses are provided for and the widow of the miner is guaranteed \$3 a week for one year and \$1 additional for each child under fourteen years of age.

The relief fund is to be managed by the men themselves, the outside and inside foremen and three other employees selected by the contributing members of the fund forming the committees. Payments are to be made by the companies upon orders from this board, and a statement is to be posted annually of all receipts and disbursements. When the fund is exhausted it will be renewed in the way it started—by the companies duplicating the total of all individual payments. Some years ago the Lohigh Valley started a relief fund along these lines for its miners but it was abandoned owing to the fact that the men stopped contributing. Now that the relief fund plan has been so thoroughly anthracite miners are so much more prosperous than formerly the relief fund is expected to be more successful and its ultimate adoption throughout the hard coal region is probable.

DECIDED SOCIALISM WAS MENACE TO THE NATION

Civic Club of Baptist Church Heard Speeches and Had General Discussion Last Night. "Socialism" was the general topic of the regular meeting of the Civic Society of the Baptist church, held in the church parlors last evening. The practically unanimous trend of thought was that socialism is a menace to the nation. The program was as follows: "Carl Marx and His Theories," Frank Sadler; "Modern Utopia," Alfred Olson; "Socialistic Experiments," L. L. Lelynn; Cannon; "How to Head off Socialism's Advance," Fred Isaacs; "The



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Come in and hear the March Edison Records. We will give your record wants particular attention.

F. E. WILLIAMS
Jeweler and Optician.

Strength and Weakness of Socialism. Roy Crissy; general discussion.

THE WEATHER

The weather for the last 24 hours as taken from Heimstreet's U. S. registered thermometer is as follows: 7 a. m., 26; 3 p. m., 26; highest, 41; lowest, 24; wind, south; partly cloudy.

Read the want ads.

NOTICE!

I desire to announce that I am a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools, First District, Rock County. All rumors to the contrary are false.

C. H. HEMMINGWAY.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—To sell some of my household goods. Mrs. Garlock, 218 S. Main St.

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FOR SALE—Steelavenport bed; black walnut and oak bedroom sets. Call between 9 and 11 in the morning. 155 N. Jackson St.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

NEW COTTON WASH GOODS

More and more, February and March are growing to be summer dressmaking months of the year. Women who love exclusive, rare designs of cottons know that they are shown then. This word to say—that we are ready with the prettiest colorings, the daintiest textures imaginable.

This Tissue Lorraine, for instance. It comes labeled "lingerie finish." The minute you put your hand on it you know why. Then the colors are lovely; barred or plaided. **18c a yard.**

Shadow Printed Silk is colored in the same way that a La-France rose is pink—shadow tints, as it were. Some times the shadows suggest stripes; often it is flowered. **50c a yard.**

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Silk Tissues are among the very recent new-comers. As welcome and pretty as May flowers. **25c a yard.**

25c a yard Crepe Chiffon in dainty floral effects. Are beautiful enough to lose one's head loving.

There Are Less Expensive Stuff, Too.

Silvan Batiste, 15c a yard.

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And many more pretty things than there's room to tell of.

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Sizes to 46.

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New lines fast arriving. As usual, best values in town at

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Cotton Goods for Spring...

Early arrivals are in. Toile du Nord Gingham.

36 inch Percales. White Waistings. Silk Effects.

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"ALWAYS BUSY."

Recently one of Dr. Richards' patients caught sight of his daily appointment book which showed that almost every working hour of his time for weeks and weeks back had been filled to the limit.

The office reception room outside was also full of waiting patients. The party mentioned that things looked pretty busy around there.

"Yes," said Dr. Richards, "they do." "But no more today than it always is with me nowadays."

"Well, you ought to be busy," replied the party. "Any man who makes the effort to do his work deserves the support of the public."

"And there's truth in that," stated the patient.

People appreciate the efforts of a man who endeavors to alleviate their sufferings.

They often enter his office as white as a sheet.

Fear deprives them of power to control their nerves and.

Some actually scream before they get in his operating chair.

But under his considerate care they soon find their fears groundless, and depart with a different opinion of one dentist at least.

"Once a patient of Dr. Richards, always a patient," is the usual outcome when people put aside their prejudices and are fair minded.

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5 WAGONS.
Gridley & Craft, Props.

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SECOND BURNING OF KNIFE WORKS

DOWD PLANT IN BELOIT DESTROYED BY FIRE.

AT AN EARLY HOUR TODAY

Building and Contents Were Consumed Six Months Ago and Rebuilding Took But Six Weeks.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Beloit, Feb. 27.—For the second time within five months the Dowd Knife Works this morning suffered a disastrous fire, and although the members of the firm will not attempt to put an estimate on the loss it is believed to be \$15,000. The N. B. Gaston Scale Works, next door to the Dowds' suffered a loss in its pattern department of about \$2,000.

The fire broke out about 2:30 o'clock and was one of the strangest with which the local department has ever had to cope. The night watchman had been at this part of the plant only fifteen minutes before, as his clock showed, and had found everything all right. Many think the fire started in the Gaston plant, but the greatest part of the blaze was in the Dowd Works and there is a fire wall between, with only a small space at the top where the flames could possibly have leaped over.

Asked if he suspected an incendiary, one of the Dowd firm said he could not believe such a thing possible, but this seems the only reasonable solution of the problem.

The loss was both in the building and its contents. The structure was new, having been rebuilt since the fire of October 10. The patterns that were burned were very valuable, but the loss is said to have been fairly well covered with insurance.

The loss in the Gaston room was nearly all in patterns, belonging to that firm and the F. N. Gardner Machine company. One pattern of value belonging to Slater & Marsden was also consumed.

The Dowds will at once begin rebuilding their plant and as they accomplished this feat in the record breaking time of six weeks in the fall it is expected they will do nearly as well this spring, although the loss of time will be a serious setback to the company.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

Private skating party at the rink tomorrow night.

A regular meeting of Janesville Chapter No. 69, O. E. S., will be held in the Masonic hall tomorrow (Wednesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. There will be work and report of Grand Chapter will be given. M. Chittenden, Sec.

Grand opening at Union Hotel tonight. Free lunch and music. G. S. Walrath.

Circle No. 8 will meet at the home of Mrs. Howard Friday, Feb. 29th, at 2:30 o'clock. There will be work for all. Mrs. E. E. Loomis, Secy.

The Kings Daughters of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. W. E. Wisner, 108 South High street, Thursday afternoon. Bring your own work. Picnic tea will be served at five o'clock.

Private skating party at the rink tomorrow night.

The members of the Art League, Philomathian and Summer clubs are requested to meet at the high school Saturday, March 2d, at three o'clock.

At East Side Odd Fellows' hall last evening the Fraternal Reserve association held their regular meeting and initiated a large class of candidates. At the next meeting another class will be initiated. The initiation was followed by refreshments and card playing. District Deputy C. M. Playmen was present and addressed the council. All present report the evening as being profitably and pleasantly spent. Frank Bick, Sec.

NEW GLASS FRONT.

Eldredge Block on South Main Street Being Refitted.

A new steel construction plate glass front is being placed in the store occupied by Bloedel & Rice, the painters, decorators, wall paper, art and picture frame dealers at 35 South Main street. "An immense plate glass window will take up the entire front clear to the floor and the entrance moved to the north corner of the building. This will give Bloedel & Rice a splendid opportunity to display their stock of new wall papers, pictures, stoves, mouldings, etc., and is in keeping with their increasing business and determination to equip their store in the finest possible way for the conduct of high class trade. Although they have been in business but a little over a year they have demonstrated the fact that there is a demand for the service of skilled artisans and of high class stock; then, too, the artistic and neat arrangement of the store and stock invites inspection of particular people. The new spring wall paper showing of beautiful patterns diversified in its make-up to suit the most exacting, together with the dainty line of decorative stuff in cut-outs, panel idea, etc., is what one expects to find in the large cities, and which is already meeting the enthusiastic approval of local people.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

In Justice Court: Judgment for the plaintiff in the sum of \$16.50 was rendered by Justice Reeder Tuesday in the action of Carpenter & Lemmerhirt vs. John Hanley.

For Drunkenness: Benton Lewis of Edgerton was brought to the county jail last evening for a ten days' sojourn for drunkenness. In municipal court this morning William Lust who has fallen by the wayside and was brushing spiders from his coat lapel, was consigned to the bastille for six days. Darb Griffin and Michael Mulcairns were released under suspended sentences.

Marriage License: Application for a marriage license has been filed by John C. Osgood of the town of Rock and Emma R. Little of the town of Janesville.

Burn Taylor's clean coal.

TO GO IN EFFECT BY MARCH TENTH

Railroad Companies Straining Every Effort to Complete Necessary Preliminaries.

On or before March 10 the 2 1/2 cents a mile rate will be put into operation on all roads in the state of Wisconsin in compliance with the ruling of the railroad commission. Large forces of rate clerks are being employed night and day in the general offices of the companies at Chicago figuring out the rates between stations on the new basis and much depends on their work how soon the order is to be carried into operation. The rate for clergymen and the heads of religious orders will continue to be 1 1/2 cents a mile. Excursion rates on all classes will remain on the same basis as at present. The rates for the state fair have been based on a single trip fare for the round trip. Heretofore the same rate of 1 1/2 cents a mile for the round trip will continue in force. For smaller conventions and meetings of teachers, etc., the rate will be 2 cents a mile for the round trip as heretofore. There will be no change in the commutation rates which range from 1 to 2 cents a mile.

EAGLES LIKELY TO ABANDON BASEBALL

Ill Financial Success of Last Year's Team Discouraging—Fans Now Asking Questions.

"There is little probability of the local Aerie of Eagles having a baseball team this year," said a prominent member of the order this morning. "Last year's experiment was, by no means a financial success and the lodge cannot afford to make up any deficits. Of course we would probably be able to lease the fair grounds park ahead of any other organization, having spent a considerable sum last year in making a diamond and field, but the matter of having a team this season is not likely to come up at any meeting. Fans are beginning to talk and there seems to be a demand for the game so it is possible a few enthusiasts will organize and manage a team. Members of last year's team and other ball players have written to know our plans but nothing definite has been done as yet."

DISTRICT ORGANIZER OF SOCIAL DEMOCRATS WILL BE HERE THIS EVENING

J. E. Harris, recently appointed organizer of the Social Democratic party in the first Wisconsin congressional district will be in the city this evening and conduct a meeting at the "forty-five" club hall in the First National bank block. Mr. Harris is an ex-newspaper man and at one time was city editor of the Green Bay Gazette.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Marjorie Mount has returned from a visit in Milwaukee.

T. J. McKeggie is able to be out again after a severe illness.

Walter D. Hunt of Sioux City, Iowa, is the guest of his uncle, H. S. Ames, 407 Glen street.

Mrs. M. E. Woodstock has just returned from a two weeks' visit in Chicago.

Father Sili, O. H. C., will arrive in Janesville today and will make an address at Trinity church at the 7:30 service this evening. Tomorrow, Thursday, he will officiate at Trinity church at the following services:

Holy eucharist, 7:30 a. m.; conference for C. C. L. members, 4 p. m.; evening service and sermon, 7:30 p. m.

Alms will be taken at the evening service. Herbert C. Boissier, vector.

Attorney J. W. Bates of Beloit was a Janesville visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. Straw of Battle Creek, Mich., is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. S. G. Garlock on South Main street, for a few weeks.

Charles Reeder went to Stoughton on business this morning.

Mrs. Gault who has been the guest of Mrs. John S. Kearney of 110 Dodge street for the last few months departed today for New York where she will reside.

Colonel George W. Hall of Evansville visited in Janesville Monday.

H. S. Bicknell returned from Madison this morning.

Attorney A. E. Matheson went to Brodhead this morning.

Mrs. C. M. Smith and Mrs. L. Frantz and daughter Ava of Evansville spent Monday in the city.

Binney Corwin and George Irwin, Jr., were in Milton Junction yesterday.

Edward Reeder, who is now running a restaurant at Orfordville, greeted Janesville friends last evening and today.

Miss Virginia Lingle left this morning for her home in Bellefont, Pa., after several weeks' visit here.

C. R. Kelley of Sarta, a deputy of the Modern Woodmen of America, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Sweeney returned last evening from their visit in New Orleans and other southern cities.

F. G. Borden of Milton was in the city last evening.

W. A. Shelley of Edgerton transacted business here last night.

W. B. Wentworth of Edgerton was in Janesville yesterday.

Miss Ida Abendroth of Milwaukee was called here from Chicago, where she was visiting, by the illness of her mother, Mrs. August Abendroth. Today Mrs. Abendroth's condition was improved though her recovery will be slow.

Mrs. Conley, nee Miss Kate Mackin of Janesville, and child are expected to arrive soon from Seattle, Wash., and will be the guests of local relatives.

TWO STILL ALARMS IN HALF AN HOUR'S TIME

Broken Sprinkler at Janesville Machine Co. and Chimney Fire on North St.

Within half an hour this morning portions of the fire department were twice called out by still alarms at 10:05 o'clock—the beating of a sprinkler head at the plant of the Janesville Machine company sent in a false summons and at 10:30 a chimney fire at the home of Mrs. Jerry McCarthy at 50 North street was attended. No losses were sustained.

BASKETBALL GAMES FOR SCHOOL TEAMS

Boys Will Play in Burlington and Girls in Delavan on Friday Evening.

Both the boys and girls basketball teams of the local high school, will make trips out of the city this week. The young ladies will play the Delavan high school girls and the boys will once more try conclusions with the Burlington team, contesting the game in that city. Both contests occur on Friday evening.

The Farmer Readers: The Twenty-third Annual report of the Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment Station has been issued. It contains valuable information for the farmer on many topics. The Station has also just issued two bulletins as follows: No. 139, "Principles and Maintenance of Soil Fertility," and No. 142, "Licensed Commercial Feeding Stuffs, 1906." Any of our resident readers desiring copies, can secure same by sending request on postal card to Agricultural Experiment Station, Madison, Wis.

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Sweet Potatoes

Nice lot fancy stock. Will soon be unobtainable.
5c lb., 6 lbs. 25c.

Cranberries

Fresh, sound fruit. Getting lots of good ones.
10c Quart.

Almeria Grapes

About out of the market and doubled in price at wholesale.
30c Pound.

Grape Fruit

Jumbo Floridas, very ripe and fine.
15c, 2 for 25c.

Oranges

Cal. Navels at their best now.
Small ones for slicing, 20c doz.
Larger at 30c, 35c and 40c.
Florida Russets 40c doz.
Large fruit and very sweet.

Fresh Vegetables

Head Lettuce, Leaf Lettuce, Spinach, Onions, Round and Long Radishes, Endive, Celery, Celery Root, Leeks, Carrots, Beets and Pieplant.

Sealshipt Oysters**Fresh Fish**

Skinned and Dressed Perch 10c lb.
Silver Herring, 8c lb.
Halibut and Salmon Steak, 15c lb.
Trout at 12 1/2c lb.

DEDRICK BROS.**W. R. C. MEMBERS DINED IN MILTON**

Twenty-seven Women Guests of College Village Post Today—Washington Program.

Twenty-seven members of W. R. C. Sargent Post, No. 21, Women's Relief Corps, went to Milton today and were the guests of the post there. Dinner was served at noon and this afternoon a Washington program of music, readings and addresses was given. Those who went from Janesville were: President, Mrs. Florence Spencer, Mrs. Victoria Potter, Miss Ella Willis, Mrs. E. O. Kimberley, Mrs. Backus, Miss Elizabeth Conroy, Mrs. W. W. Willis, Mrs. Cummings, Mrs. Jessie Fenny, Mrs. Ella Gifford, Mrs. A. M. Glenn, Mrs. James, Miss Maria Gibbs, Mrs. J. L. Bear, Mrs. Dunwiddie, Mrs. O'Neill, Mrs. Shawvan, Mrs. Dempsey, Mrs. J. F. Carle, Mrs. William H. Lathers, Mrs. Carrman, Mrs. L. M. Nichols, Mrs. Dopp, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Amanda Hollis, Mrs. Welch and Mrs. Ada Walker.

JURY IN MUNICIPAL COURT FOUND JOHN BALFE GUILTY OF ASSAULT AND BATTERY

And a Fine and Costs Amounting to \$33.42 Were Collected From Him—Julius Krueger the Complainant.

In municipal court late yesterday afternoon the jury consisting of Albert P. Watson, A. F. Rice, Herman Gauke, J. T. Snyder, and A. F. Lee, brought in a verdict of "guilty" in the action of the State vs. John Balfé, brought on complaint of Julius Krueger. Atty. M. P. Richardson conducted the prosecution and M. O. Mount was the defendant's counsel. A fine of \$10 together with the costs, amounting in all to \$33.42, was levied and collected from Balfé. Both men are employed in the Hanson furniture factory and the passing of hot words, followed by blows occurred on February 17.

TO THE VOTERS.

I desire to announce I am a candidate for the nomination for city clerk on the republican ticket at the primaries to be held March 19. LOUIS N. SKAVLEM.

GOLDEN PALACE FLOUR \$1.15 SACK.

STOPPENBACH & SON

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PURE LARD 14c LB.

5 LBS. MO-JA COFFEE \$1

3 PKGS. MACARONI 25c

3 LBS. 20c SANTOS COFFEE 50c

3 LBS. BEST 50c UNCOLORED JAPAN TEA \$1.10

LARGE CAL. ORANGES, 25c DOZ.

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20 North Main St.

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Monsoon Pat. Flour \$1 sack.

Blodgett's Old Times B. W. 25c.

3 Blodgett's Pancake or Self Rising Buckwheat 25c.

3 Egg-O-See or Malta Vita 25c.

Swift's Jersey Butterine 12 1/2c lb.

Swift's Premium Butterine 18c.

Force Breakfast Food 15c package 5c.

3 lbs. 20c Coffee 50c.

Sweet Potatoes.

Maple Sugar 12c lb.

Best 50c Tea on earth.

Best 25c Coffee on earth.

1/4 bu. Yellow Onions 20c pk.

Home Grown Doughnuts, Cookies and Bread.

Audobon Bird Seed.

20 Mule Team Borax and Boraxo.

Canadian Rutabagas.

8 Lenox Soap 25c.

7 Santa Claus Soap 25c.

Imported Oil Sardines 10c.

Old Fashioned Hominy.

Atlas Baking Powder 18c lb.

Steel Cut Oatmeal.

Eagle Condensed Milk 18c.

Janesville Key City Corn 6c.

126 Size Oranges 30c doz.

Crystal Domino Sugar.

3 Lewis Lye 25c.

3 Pkgs. Jell-o 25c.

Uneeda with every order.

Large

Fancy Layer Figs 15c lb.

Home Rendered Lard 14c lb.

Home Made Sausage 12 1/2c.

Bologna, Wieners, Blood, Liver Sausage and Head Cheese.

Groceries and Meat.

NASH

FINE CONCERT IN THE NEAR FUTURE

For Tuesday evening of next week, March 5th, the Cargill M. E. church announce an interesting entertainment to be given by Prof. Daland, of Milton, Mr. Roy Carter, Mr. Henry Cody, and others, assisted by Janesville's popular readers, Miss Duvette Kimball and Miss Minnie Cutter. Prof. Daland is too well known to need words of commendation; and the others are all favorites. Announcement of the program will be made later.

Read the want ads.

The rapid growth of this bank during the past year is gratifying to its management and to the public. The deposit account in that

time has increased about \$200,000, a gain of 40 per cent or an average of \$650 for every business day. The total resources have touched the highest figure in the history of the bank, \$900,000, and the capital surplus and undivided profits are now \$177,000—\$10,000 more than they were a year ago.

WEST SIDE THEATRE
ROLLER SKATING
Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday Nights and Every Afternoon.

COUNTRY HOME
FOR SALE.
Forty acres of the Woodruff farm, located 1 1/2 miles northwest of Janesville post office. Large modern house and barn. Buildings cost \$25,000. Elegant view. Good tobacco land. Price, \$12,500. More land if desired.

Fifty-eight acres on Magnolia Ave. Good six-room house, large barn, well and windmill. Rich land, desirable location. Price, \$7,600.

INQUIRE OF

GEO. WOODRUFF,

Janesville, Wis.

Cedar Valley Egg

is a special preparation for kitchen stoves; Bright and Clean—makes quick fires; and sells for \$5.50 per ton.

Sold exclusively by

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Cleanliness Creates Desire.

So many people tell us that they cannot withstand the desire for some of our candy, after glancing in the window or inspecting the store. First, the Candy itself is pure and it is made in a clean kitchen with everything associated with its making absolutely clean. The store is clean, the cases are clean, the candy is made by a man who knows how. The whole result is the most irresistible desire for a taste and the first taste brings you back for more. Step in and sample some of our candy.

N. PAPPAS' Candy Palace,

19 N. Milwaukee St., Jackson Bldg.

DO YOU WANT

Some No. 1

SOME NEW IDEAS ON THE CONSTRUCTION OF HOG HOUSES

Proper Shelter. Essential to Success in Swine Raising in Cold or Variable Climates.

According to W. Dietrich, of the Illinois Station, properly located and constructed hog houses or shelters are essential to success in swine husbandry in all regions with a cold or variable climate. The best location for a hog house is one that is well drained and well lighted and will permit access to pasture, to good shade, and to a stream of running water that is free from disease germs, where also there are opportunities for making wallows in clean mud.

The two general classes of hog houses most in use are individual houses or hog cots and large houses with individual pens, and of each class there is a great variety of construction, depending upon individual needs and conditions. It is the purpose of

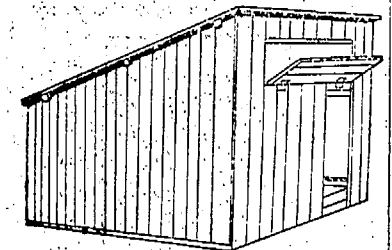


Fig. 1.—Hog cot with upright walls and shed roof, set up.

this article to summarize only information regarding the construction of individual houses or hog cots as given in recent station publications.

Mr. Dietrich says on this subject: Individual hog houses, or cots, as they are sometimes called, are built in many different ways. Some are built with four upright walls and a shed roof, each of which (the walls

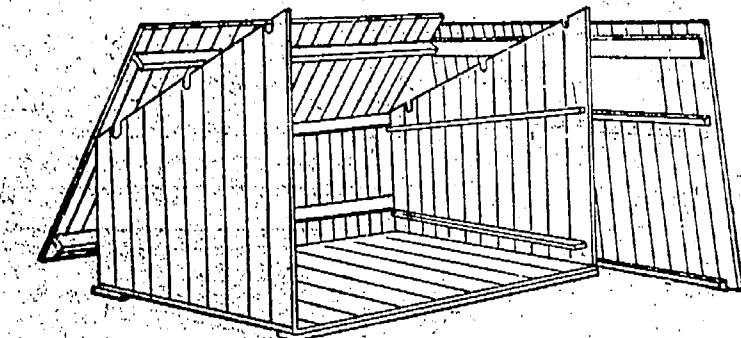


Fig. 2.—Hog cot with upright walls and shed roof, taken down.

and roof), being a separate piece, can easily be taken down and replaced, making the moving of these small houses or cots an easy matter. This is shown by figures 1 and 2. Others are built with two sides sloping in toward the top so as to form the roof, as in figure 3. These are built on skids and when necessary can be moved as a whole by being drawn by a horse. They are built in several different styles; some have a window in the front end, above the door, while all may have a small door in the rear

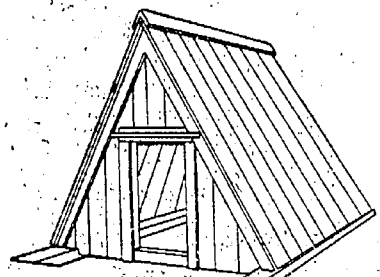


Fig. 3.—Hog cot with sloping sides on skids.

end near the apex for ventilating purposes. They are also built in different sizes.

The arguments in favor of this type of houses for swine are that each sow at farrowing time may be kept alone

in case the place occupied by the cot becomes insanitary it may be moved to a clean location.

R. Shaw, of the Michigan station, states that, when climatic conditions are not too rigorous, cots only may be employed for handling the entire herd. During the summer season especially coting and yarding can not be excelled as a means of handling nearly all classes of pigs. Cots are especially desirable for dry-brood sows and young males and females being reared for breeding purposes. Their great advantages are that they provide an abundance of fresh air, sunshine and exercise.

Figures 3 and 4 represent forms of cots now in use at the Michigan Agricultural college, figure 3 being a form which has been in use at the institution for some years.

The form of cot shown by figure 3 is desirable in that it is warm in winter, but objectionable in that it provides little protection against the extreme heat of summer. It is also considered a good form of cot for the brood sow to farrow in in moderate weather, as she can not lie down close enough to the sloping roof to crush her pigs, as against a wall. A general mistake is made in fastening this form of cot permanently to the skids or runners on which it is built. These are the first to decay and along with them the lower ends of the boards, thus making repairs impossible, even though the balance of the structure remains sound. A separate pair of skids should be constructed for this or any other form of cot, so that they can be replaced. Its own weight will hold the cot in place on the skids while being moved. * * * All

cots should be furnished with skids, so that they can be moved frequently by a team and one man and not taken to pieces and moved in sections.

Figure 4 represents a form of cot recently designed and constructed and now in use in our hog lots. It is six by eight feet at the foundation, with the sides raised perpendicularly three feet before receiving the half pitch roof boards. The center boards on the sides are hinged so that they can be swung open in hot weather. The opening thus made is covered with strong woven wire, clamped above and below between inch boards. The inner clamp boards project an inch beyond outer ones, thus breaking the joints and preventing any draft when the openings are closed. The two ridge boards are also hinged so that they can be opened during hot weather. These openings permit a free circulation of air, which not only lowers the temperature but greatly relieves the oppression of the pigs seeking shelter. These openings close down tightly, leaving warm quarters during the coldest weather. The cots proper are supported on skids to which they are not attached, being held in place by the blocking of the ties across both ends. A two-inch bottom is used or not, as desired. This flooring is cut in lengths to fit crosswise and rest on the skids, which are wider than the

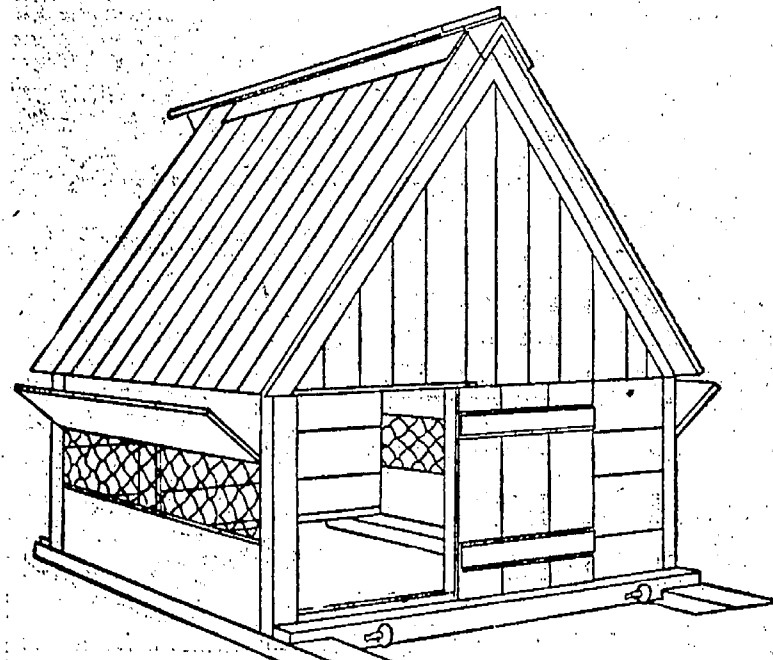


Fig. 4.—Improved hog cot used at Michigan Experiment Station.

and away from all disturbance; that each litter of pigs may be kept and fed by itself, consequently there will not be too large a number of pigs in a common lot; that these houses may be placed at the farther end of the feed lot; thus compelling the sow and pigs to take exercise, especially in winter, when they come to the feed trough at the front end of the lot; that the danger of spreading disease among the herd is at a minimum; and

One of the Differences. Many a young man has become engaged when he didn't realize what he was doing. This illustrates one of the differences between young men and young women.

The Love of Life. Horror of annihilation is so instinctive in us that from the throes of mortal agony it huris us back by a mad leap into the ardent agitations of life. —Princess Aurelie Guika.

POULTRY SPECIALIZATION.

In the Biggest Poultry Producing County of the United States.

Poultry raising is largely carried on by farmers in America as a minor factor in diversified agricultural practice. In consequence poultry is found distributed on a large number of farms in small groups. This fact is illustrated by figures from the last census, which show that 88.8 per cent of the farms in the United States report poultry. This tendency is less marked in the west, for the census figures show that only 75.8 per cent of the farms in the Rocky mountain and Pacific coast states report poultry. The diffuse distribution of the poultry industry has to a certain extent masked the importance of poultry diseases. Individual losses are necessarily slight and have not constituted an incentive for demanding the more extensive investigation of the cause and prevention of disease. Unquestionably, too, the isolation of poultry in small groups has contributed to restrict the spread of infections.

An Amazing Poultry Population.

A complex combination of factors made Sonoma county, Cal., the greatest poultry producing county of the United States. The census of 1900 credits that county with an output of 3,218,450 dozen eggs and with 481,425 fowls three months old and over. The poultry population has increased since the census, as shown by figures compiled by the Petaluma Poultry Journal from data supplied by produce concerns in Petaluma, the principal shipping point in the county. During the calendar year 1903 the territory tributary to this one town supplied 3,407,334 dozen eggs. This divided by 6.2 dozen, the census figures for the average annual production for California fowls over three months of age, would indicate the presence of 549,408 fowls near Petaluma.

Fowl Concentration and Disease.

The concentration of this number of fowls upon a few square miles of territory has demonstrated the importance of the infectious diseases of poultry in undermining the profits of the business. The proximity of poultry establishments to one another as well as the traffic in laying hens affords favorable conditions for the spread of disease. The owner of 6,000 hens naturally dreads the practical annihilation of his stock more keenly than the average farmer owning a few barnyard fowls.

Sanitation a Necessity.

California poultrymen are united to an unusual extent in admitting that failure and diminished profits are due principally to diseases. A study of the poultry diseases and of the conditions under which they occur leads to the conclusion that a large percentage of the losses among chickens older than broilers is due to preventable diseases.

The man who would reap the greatest profits from poultry husbandry must become thoroughly informed concerning the recognition of the various diseases and the sanitary methods necessary for their control. Horticulture furnishes a striking example of a widespread popular education on matters pertaining to preventable losses from disease and the parasitic insects. This is a necessity sequent to specialization and concentration.

Scratching Posts.

Scratching posts, in the opinion of hog men, are not only a great comfort to hogs, but they may be made useful in ridding them of lice and of a scaly skin. The following plan is practiced by a successful hog raiser, who markets his animals in Baltimore. Plant a hickory post four inches in diameter in the hog run. Coil a manilla rope around this post as high as a hog stands and staple it securely. Then thoroughly saturate the rope with crude petroleum-kerosene. It will do, but it is not as good—and it becomes an ideal scratching post for hogs and pigs. The animals will rub against it continually, and oil is fatal to lice and mites. If kerosene is used the saturation should be renewed every few days. —American Cultivator.

Women Lose in California.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 20.—The legislature Tuesday killed the proposed constitutional amendment which extended the right to vote at all elections to women.

Killing of Paredes Confirmed.

New York, Feb. 20.—Private cable despatches were received Tuesday in this city confirming the killing of Gen. Antonio Paredes, the Venezuelan rebel leader.

Animals with Long Tongues.

Giraffes and ant eaters have tongues nearly two feet in length.

Complies with the pure food laws of every state

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Calumet is made of the finest materials possible to select, and makes light, easily digestible bread, biscuits or pastry; therefore, it is recommended by leading physicians and chemists. In using Calumet you are always assured of a good baking; therefore, there is no waste of material or time. Calumet is put up in airtight cans; it will keep longer than any other baking powder on the market and has no more raising power. Calumet is so carefully and scientifically prepared that the neutralization of the ingredients is absolutely perfect. Therefore, food prepared with Calumet is free from Rochelle Salts, Alum, or any injurious substance. \$1,000.00 given for any substance injurious to health found in Calumet.

SIXTEEN CHILDREN PERISH IN A FIRE

BLAZE IN MONTREAL SCHOOL TERRIBLY FATAL.

PRINCIPAL ALSO IS KILLED

Little Ones Refuse to Pass Through Smoke-Filled Hall and Are Suffocated—No Fire Escapes.

Montreal, Que., Feb. 27.—Principal Maxwell and 16 children perished in a fire which broke out Tuesday afternoon in the Hochelaga school of the protestant school commission. The school was located in a brick two-story building in the east end of the city and was attended by about 200 children; whose parents are mechanics living in the neighborhood.

The fire started from the furnace and was first noticed by workmen employed near by. The teachers were notified and the work of getting the children out of the building began.

Children Wouldn't Go Out.

The kindergarten department was on the second floor and it was here that the loss of life occurred. The children were started out, but on reaching the landing, found the lower hall full of smoke. Into this they refused to descend, though the way at this time was quite safe. Huddled together on the stairway at first, they retreated to the rooms from which they had come. When the firemen arrived an extension ladder was placed in position and a large number of children were rescued in this way.

Assisting in the work was Miss Maxwell. The fire by this time was making its way upwards and the smoke was growing so dense that even the experienced firemen could not stand it.

Principal Sacrifices Himself.

Capt. Carson endeavored to get Miss Maxwell to go down the ladder, but she refused, and evading the attempt to detain her, rushed back into the back part of the building in search of others of the little ones. When the firemen were finally able to make their way to the back portion of the building she was found lying on the floor, with a little one beside her.

All those who perished died from asphyxiation. The building was unprovided with fire escapes.

ASKS \$6,000,000 FROM RAILWAY.

Kentucky Attorney General Wants Big Sum From Southern Pacific.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 27.—State Attorney General Hays Tuesday filed in the Franklin circuit court here a petition in the name of the sheriff of Franklin county against the Southern Pacific railway company, seeking to have the Kentucky board of valuation and assessment fix a valuation, for purposes of taxation upon the company. Upon this basis the company is asked to pay into the state treasury \$1,000,000 in taxes each year for holding a Kentucky charter, and an additional \$1,000,000 penalties for failure to pay for five years, making a total of \$6,000,000 sought to be recovered.

Bloody Feud Fight in Kentucky.

Whitesburg, Ky., Feb. 27.—Telephone messages from Clark Fork, Knott county, give details of another feud battle between members of the Stone-Clark factions Monday night. Fifty shots were fired at the home of Michael Stone and he was fatally wounded. Richard Stone, his son, was killed. John Clark, the alleged leader of the Clark faction, was desperately wounded.

Serial of One Million Words.

An advertiser in a London paper says he has immediate use for a "sensational serial," which must consist of about 1,000,000 words. The longest novel so far is said to be George Eliot's "Middlemarch," which contains nearly 329,000 words.

The Futurity of Arguing.

The temptation to argue with people of convinced views should be resolutely resisted. Argument only strengthens and fortifies the convictions of opponents and I can honestly say that I have never yet met a man of strong intellectual fiber who was ever converted by an argument. —A. C. Benson.

Buy it in Janesville

HAVE A GAY TIME IN PONCE.

Commercial Clubs Warmly Received and Proceed to Panama.

Ponce, Porto Rico, Feb. 27.—The members of the commercial clubs of Boston, Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis, who arrived here Monday night on their way to Panama on the steamer Prinz Joachim, were given an enthusiastic reception in the theater. The festivities lasted until three o'clock Tuesday morning.

Upon the recommendation of Gov. Winthrop the legislature appropriated funds for the entertainment of these visitors, but this money was declined by the local authorities. The Prinz Joachim left here at 8:30 Tuesday morning for Panama.

Fight in North Carolina Legislature.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 27.—The floor of the house Tuesday was the scene of an encounter between Congressman-elect R. N. Hackett and Representative C. G. Bryant. Hackett used his right hand effectively on Mr. Bryant's ear and jaw and Mr. Bryant drew a long bladed pocket knife and made for Hackett, but was intercepted and disarmed. He then attempted to strike Hackett with an ink stand and subsequently with a chair.

"Presumption" of Death.

An English court has just allowed the heirs of a young man who went down with a ship in a storm in the Indian ocean in 1857 to "presume" that he is dead.

ROCK COUNTY Farms For Sale!

The Woodruff farm in west part of city of Janesville in tracts to suit purchaser.

23 acres with good house and barn. 53 acres with good house and barn. 83 acres with good house and barn. 112 acres with good house and barn. 58 acres with good house and barn.

40 acres or more with large modern house and barn.

60 acres without buildings.

If you are looking for something very choice here is your chance of a lifetime.

93 acres with good buildings, 5 acres fine timber, about 5 miles from Janesville. A very cheap farm at \$3,800.

160 acres, 60 under cultivation, remainder pasture and timber. 7-room house, 4 acre tobacco shed, barn room for 12 cows and 4 horses, chicken house and corn crib. An elegant spring very close by house. A great bargain at \$37,500 per acre.

80 acres 6 miles from Janesville, 70 acres under plow; remainder timber. 6-room house, "good" barn, 32x48. Price \$55.00 per acre.

44 acres 3 1/2 miles from Janesville; all under cultivation; good buildings; \$6000.

258 acres 7 miles from Janesville; all tillable prairie soil; good buildings; \$375.00 per acre.

153 acres one-half mile from Janesville; 140 under cultivation; 2 sets of buildings, 3 wells and 2 wind mills. Price \$10,000.00.

133 acres in town of Fulton, 120 under cultivation, remainder pasture land. Good 14 room house, barn 40x250. Shed room for 20 acres tobacco; 1/2 mile from village and 3 miles from Edgerton. Price \$75.00 per acre.

73 acres 3 1/2 miles from city limits of Janesville in tract to suit purchaser; at \$110 per acre.

108 acres 8 miles north of Janesville; rough farm, good buildings. Price \$60.00 per acre.

40 acres 2 1/2 miles from Janesville; 25 acres under cultivation; good buildings. Price \$6000.00.

20 acres in west part of city of Janesville, good brick house. Price \$5500.00.

160 acres 2 1/2 miles N. W. of Sharon \$55 per acre.

208 acres in town of Rock. 140 acres under cultivation, good buildings, 15 acres good timber. Price \$65.00 per acre.

127 1/2 acres 2 miles S. W. of Footville, good buildings and very good land. Price \$65.00 per acre.

125 acres south of Janesville, 70 under cultivation, about 10,000 feet walnut timber, \$75.00 per acre.

128 acres all under cultivation, fair buildings, 6 miles south of Janesville, \$60.00 per acre.

47 1/2 acres 5 miles from Janesville, good house, basement barn, land in good state of cultivation. Price \$4500.00.

10 acres within city limits, barn, \$1500.00.

120 acres 2 miles from Janesville, fine buildings and extra good farm. \$110.00 per acre.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

93 acre farm very good buildings, flowing well, water in barn, \$90.00 per acre.

40 acres in Clark Co., Wis. Price \$2000.00.

1 section in Taylor Co., Wis. at \$12.50 per acre.

FOR SALE

Farm of 80 acres 6 miles from R. R. town with 2000 population. 65 acres in cultivation, balance pasture, black sand loam, best of land for potatoes, small grains and hay; there is a house, barn, granary and other buildings, also 1 binder, 1 riding plow, hay rake, mower, seeder, disc harrow, pair of sleighs, wide tire wagon and other small tools, also 3 horses, 6 young cows, 2 year old heifers, 1 three year old bull and 5 calves, all go with this farm at the rock bottom price of \$2500. This is a chance to make a good deal, look it up now. Will take small house in exchange.

815 acres in Grant Co., Wis., 1 1/2 miles from R. R. good buildings of all kinds, a 1 stock and grain farm, must be seen to be appreciated. Price only \$25.00 per acre. This is the cheapest farm in Wis. at the price. Never failing spring water, water in house and barn. Investigate.

120 acres 3 miles from Whitewater, good buildings, all good level land. Price \$55.00 per acre.

Other Property

FOR SALE.

New 7-room house and good lot in

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The Texas Colonization Company

Will conduct a private car excursion to the beautiful Van Horn Valley, where we offer for sale 150,000 acres of choice, level prairie land of unsurpassed fertility, plenty of moisture and free from climatic extremes.

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First ward. Upper rooms not wholly finished. Electric lights throughout. Price, \$1000.

An elegant 10-room house in Third ward. Hardwood finish, hardwood floors in 3 rooms, city water, soft water, gas and bath, closet in upper story and one in basement; laundry and furnace; very good barn and chicken house; 3 lots.

Very good 8 room house in the 3rd ward. All hardwood floors below; city water and soft water; storm windows; barn, wood and coal shed.

Good 14-room house, good barn, a lot and one-half; plenty of room to build a cottage for renting; nice location in the Second ward. Property now rents for \$20 per month. A snap at \$2500.

2 lots with good building 50x24 two stories and 30x24 one story. Building and location A1 for factory. Price, \$1700.

In Whitewater, Wis., a 14-room brick house with barn, on fine corner lot. A fine location, near schools and churches. A snap at \$2800.

120-acre farm in town of Magnolia. Good buildings; 8 room house; barn 34x56; with good stone basement; double corn crib; all tillable land. \$75 per acre. Might consider an exchange for small place in Janesville.

Fine new and modern 10-room house; hardwood floors; elegantly finished throughout; furnace, electric lights, city water and soft water, good new barn and two lots, on Oakland Ave. Price, \$2500.

Ten room house and barn in First

ward; good location, city water, soft water, gas, bath and electric lights. \$3200.

9-room house on Washington street, city water, soft water, gas and furnace. \$3400.

8-room house in First ward, \$2,200.

House and barn in First ward, newly painted and papered. \$2000.

8-room house and two lots on Highland Ave., city water and gas. \$2350.

8 or 9 room house on Cornelia St. City water, soft water and gas. \$2,250.

Good store building, living rooms above, on N. Main street, for sale or exchange. \$3500.

House and lot in second ward. \$2,300.

House and barn on Carrington and Wheeler streets; city water, soft water and gas. \$2250.

House and lot in Third ward, \$1700.

Small house in Third ward, \$750.

House and lot on Glen St., \$2200.

8-room house on lot 4x6 rods, well, cistern, electric lights, \$1500. In 4th ward.

House and half lot on Holmes St. \$3200.

House and lot on Riverside St. \$1400.

12-room house on Linn street; barn and chicken house, city water, soft water, gas and electric lights; bath and closet. A dandy at \$4500.

New 6-room house and large lot, \$1300.

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GAS HEARINGS ARE ON FOR THIS WEEK

Demand for Cheaper Article to be Submitted to the Legislature.

"Gas" and the people of the state will be given an opportunity to register their claims regarding the price and quality of gas and assert their rights before the legislature this week. An effort is being made to consider the Le Roy bill for regulation of public service corporations, including gas companies, before the committee on transportation about Thursday. "Gas" claims that the present statutes regulating the standards are complete and if anything too stringent. The people on the other hand, represented in the legislature, assert that what is asked now is that the price be lowered. In other words the people claim that the corporations have too firm a grip upon the purse strings of the people's pocketbook. Impetus to the fight is given by reason of the revelations made by the chemistry department of the state university in Madison, Wis. It was found on the average 20 per cent. of the product was nitrogen.

What the Law Says. There is a law on the statute books of the state which says that the state chemist must fix the standard for heating gas and the amount of "hot air" contained therein. The heating standard fixed was 600 B. T. U., but there being no such thing as "hot air" in gas, this portion of the statute is undetermined. An investigation reveals the fact that a wily lobbyist had this phrase inserted instead of the word "nitrogen," so if the matter was ever carried to the supreme court the law might be declared unconstitutional. Nitrogen when it is put into the gas is made by driving air over coke or coal burning in a retort. The oxygen in the air by passing over the fire is consumed leaving only the nitrogen. So in the present statute "hot air" and nitrogen must mean the same. Prof. W. H. Lender of the university, an expert on gas, has written a letter to the legislative reference library, calling attention to the glaring mistake, and asks that if nothing else is done by the legislature, this statute be corrected.

Long tables of figures showing the cost of gas in other cities are on file in the office of Dr. McCarthy. Of the eighty-six tabulated the average price for fuel gas is \$1.05 cents and for illuminating gas \$1.15. Ninety per cent. of the gas used in Madison is fuel gas. Under the new reduction schedule of the Madison Gas & Electric company the price of gas is \$1.25.

Following are the prices charged for gas in some other cities of the state:

City	Illuminating Fuel	Gas
Racine	1.20	1.00
Madison	1.25	1.05
Oshkosh	1.50	1.00
Kenosha	1.50	1.00
Janesville	1.60	1.25
Evanston	1.50	1.35
La Crosse	1.50	1.00
Superior	1.50	1.25
Milwaukee	1.00	.80

MORTUARY NEWS.

Mrs. Christina Rehfeld.

Mrs. Christina Rehfeld, widow of the late Fred J. Rehfeld, whose demise occurred eighteen years ago, died this morning at half past eight o'clock at her home 222 Cherry street. She had been ill for some time and the end came as a relief to her. Mrs. Rehfeld was seventy-six years of age and is survived by six children. They are John Rehfeld, Will Rehfeld, Mrs. August Muenchow and Mrs. Joe Blow of this city, Fred Rehfeld of the town of Rock and Charles Rehfeld of Lockport, Ill. Mrs. Rehfeld had lived in Janesville for thirty-two years past and her death will be mourned by many. The funeral will be held from St. Paul's Lutheran church at two o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Timm.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Wilhelmina Timm will be held from the home at 60 Park avenue Thursday afternoon at half past one o'clock and from St. John's German Lutheran church at two o'clock. Mrs. Timm, whose death came early yesterday morning, was seventy-four years of age and had lived in Janesville for five years. The greater part of her life was spent in Jefferson county, where her husband passed away fifteen years ago. Mrs. Timm is survived by one sister, Mrs. Buske of the town of Farmington, Jefferson county, and seven children—Mrs. George Ashley and Ed. Timm of this city, Mrs. Herman Zastrow and Richard Timm of the town of Concord, Jefferson county, Elbert of Genoa Junction, Fred of Athens, Wis., and Herman of Jefferson.

Lillian Pufahl.

The last sad rites over the remains of the late Lillian Pufahl of Rhineland, Wis., were held at the home of William Mueller, 92 Western avenue, at two o'clock this afternoon. Rev. C. J. Koerner of St. Paul's German Lutheran church was the officiating clergyman. Burial was in Oak Hill cemetery.

Elbridge G. Fifield.

The funeral of the late Elbridge G. Fifield will be held from the home, 204 North Jackson street, Friday afternoon at two o'clock. Interment will be in Oak Hill cemetery.

Dispositions Unchanging.

Believe it thou wilt that mountains change their places, but believe not that men change their dispositions.—Mohammed.

Real Estate Transfers.

John Bahr and wife to Horner De Vall, \$2600. N. E. 1/4 of NW 1/4, S. 24-3-10. Marshall J. Fisher and wife to Frank Hyne, \$5. E. 1/2 of NW 1/4, SE 1/4 and E. 1/2 of NW 1/4, SW 1/4 and E. 1/2 of NW 1/4, NE 1/4 of S. 29. Union. Fred C. Jenkins to Eliza A. Jenkins, \$1. Lots 6, 6-2, Jenkins Add., Janesville. Thomas Thronson and wife to Lewis Larson, \$375. Lot 25-2 Lincoln Ave. Park Add., Beloit. Cora B. I. Wright and husband to Archie Reid, \$2,400. SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, S. 21 and 3/4 acres off S. side, NW 1/4, SE 1/4, S. 21-2-14. Oak Hill Cemetery Assn. to Scott Smith, \$75. Lot 11-4 Oak Hill Cemetery, Janesville.

ARMY MEN FOR THE CANAL

THREE ENGINEER OFFICERS TO SUPERVISE THE WORK.

Stevens Having Resigned, President Roosevelt Announces Reorganization.

Washington, Feb. 27.—By an order addressed to the Panama canal commission Tuesday President Roosevelt, as far as lay in his power under existing law, transferred to the engineer branch of the army the responsibility for the further construction of the Panama canal.

He also, in the same order, which took the form of a letter addressed to the chairman of the commission, Mr. Shonts, himself about to retire from all connection with the enterprise, formally recorded the abandonment, for the present at least, of the project of having the canal work done by contract on the percentage system.

Another feature of the order was the announcement of the resignation of John F. Stevens as engineer in charge of the canal construction. Mr. Shonts, is in New York where he will preside Wednesday at a meeting of the directors of the Panama Railroad company, of which he is president, and will, it is expected, formally resign that office.

The intention of the president is that there shall be an entire reorganization of the commission, with three army officers of the engineer corps as its leading members, who are to have charge of the engineering features of the canal work. The chairman and engineer-in-chief of the commission will be Maj. G. W. Goethals, and his associates will be Maj. Du-B. B. Gaillard, and Maj. William L. Shert, to rank in the order named. These officers are all comparatively young, ambitious and energetic members of the corps.

The reorganization is to become effective immediately upon the confirmation and retirement of the old commission. Senator Joseph C. S. Blackburn, of Kentucky, who retires from the United States senate March 4, is to be made a member of the reorganized commission. The nominations of the present commissioners, now pending before the senate, include Messrs. Shonts, Stevens, Haines, Endicott, Herrod, Gorgas and Jackson Smith. Their confirmation is desired in order to remove all doubt as to the legality of certain acts they have performed in connection with the making of contracts.

The retirement of Messrs. Shonts and Stevens will leave but two vacancies, so that there will be two more retirements necessary to make way for the three army officers and Senator Blackburn. As he told his callers Tuesday, the president is determined that the work on the canal shall proceed continuously and thoroughly and the temporary "dislocations" which may come as a result of the resignations of higher officials will not be allowed to interfere with progress.

It is understood that Mr. Stevens is leaving the government's service to accept a position in connection with a great engineering enterprise in this country at an annual salary more than double that he now receives from the government.

The probability is that the administration will determine to give out the work to be done at the isthmus under contract under the general direction of the army engineers.

BUCKET SHOPPING A FELONY.

Provisions of Bill Passed by the Missouri Senate.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 27.—By a unanimous vote the senate Tuesday afternoon passed the Ely bill to make the conduct of a bucket shop a felony, punishable by imprisonment for not less than six months nor more than five years. The proposed law also holds liable managers or employees of telephone companies who may furnish information to bucket shops.

The senate also passed the bills prepared by Attorney-General Hadley to assist the enforcement of the anti-trust laws. One allows immunity to prosecuting witnesses at the trial of cases, and another allows immunity to witnesses before the special commissioner who makes the inquiry before the trial.

The house passed the senate bill prohibiting domestic life insurance companies from paying any officer a salary in excess of \$5,000 without a vote of the board of directors and prohibiting any company from paying any officer more than \$50,000 salary.

Steel Cross Ties Ordered Out. Philadelphia, Feb. 27.—General Manager Atterbury, of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, has ordered the removal of all steel cross ties now in use on lines of the Pennsylvania railroad. This order is the result of the recommendation of the special committee appointed by the general manager to investigate the wreck of the Chicago special near Mineral Point on Friday night when many persons were injured.

Floor Falls, Many Are Hurt. Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 27.—Nearly 20 persons were hurt, many seriously, Tuesday night at Knoxville, Ia., when a floor in the home of C. K. Davis collapsed during the wedding of his daughter Bessie, with H. O. Green, of Hope, Ark.

Shaw to Head Trust Company. New York, Feb. 27.—Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, who retires March 4, has been elected president of the Carnegie Trust Company.

Thick Atlantic Fog. An Atlantic fog is often about 30 miles in diameter.

Want ads. bring results.

LOCAL OBSERVANCE OF LONGFELLOW DAY

Senior Girls Had Charge of Opening Exercises at High School This Morning.

At the high school today the centenary of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow was marked with a short program conducted by the young lady members of the senior class. During the opening exercise period each girl of the fourth year class related an incident in the poet's life or offered some quotations from his works. On the twelfth of the month a similar tribute was paid to Abraham Lincoln when the senior boys told anecdotes of the martyred president.

SPRING IN THE GARDEN.

"Had I but two loaves," said Mohammed, "I would sell one and buy hyacinths to feed my soul," a sentiment we must all approve; but when hyacinths are growing and blooming in our garden we may keep the law.

Sow seed for tomato plants in March or April in the hotbed or in flats in the house.

By error in a recent note, it was stated that soil inoculation is good for "sweet potatoes." The reader familiar with the legumes undoubtedly read between the lines and saw what was intended—viz., "sweet peas."

When the seedlings are growing in the hotbeds do not let the beds become too hot. Ventilate well in the milder days and water liberally.

On account of its vigorous growth, which enables it to overtop grass and hold its own against weeds, asparagus will withstand perhaps more neglect than most vegetables. But it also responds generously to good culture.

April is a critical month with the hotbeds. A little neglect in giving air and an hour or two of ardent sunshine will scorch the tender growth, or Jack Frost's touch at night, after a balmy day, may put the plant to sleep for good and all if the protecting mats were thoughtlessly left off.

The dahlia, that fashionable flower of the present, may be grown from seeds. These germinate freely. Seeds of single dahlias prove highly satisfactory, producing a great variety of self colors—striped, spotted and tipped—and are greatly liked for cutting.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

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